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Palmer's Terrible Adventure With an Assassin Armed With a Knife.

Arrest of the Ruffian After a Long Trip Across the Continent and Back.

The Truthfulness of Woman Aptly Illustrated in the Case of Mrs. Woods.

Ottawa, March 27.—A romantic story has been brought to light here by the arrest of James Kelly upon a charge of having feloniously cut Mr. Alfred Palmer, civil engineer, formerly of London, England. Mr. Palmer, who was formerly associated with Sir Douglas Fox, theemi nent engineer, was commissioned by Senator Howland, the representative of the Dominion government, to undertake a series of boring operations in the Northumberland straits, to ascertain the feasibility of constructing a tunnel between New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island. Mr. Palmer went to work on the operations immediately, but differences of a somewhat serious character seem to have arisen between him and Senator Howland, which led to a good deal of good feeling between the parties. Whether as a result of the troubles or not, Mr. Palmer was in September last assaulted by James Kelly, who was employed in the work. Kelly seized him by the throat and attempted to stab out both his eyes, and so deprive him of sight, but Mr. Palmer struggled so strongly that the blows came only on his nose, which bears the marks of the knife, the engineer dropped to the ground like a log, but after he recovered consciousness managed to crawl to the house of Mrs. Strong at Cape Travers, who stopped the flow of blood from the arteries by staunching ing it with flour. So soon as he had recovered Mr. Palmer laid an information against Kelly, but he had escaped across the straits, eight and a half miles, in a small boat. Kelly was afterwards traced to British Columbia and that was the last heard of him until Friday, when he was arrested here in Ottawa. The case was tried in the police court on Saturday, when he was remanded on bail for a fortnight. In the meantime inquiries will be made in Prince Edward Island, and it seems possible that Kelly will be extradited to that province.

TO FACILITATE TRAFFIC.

Something New in Fraser Navigation---Burnaby's Loan By-Law Passed

New Westminster, March 27.—Alex. Watson, of Victoria, is in town making arrangements for the immediate construction of a new vessel at Sapperton for the C.P.N. Company. She will be 122 feet long, 24 feet six inches beam, and six foot six depth of hold. She is to run on the south arm route and meet the Victoria boats to bring up passengers while the regular boats discharge freight at the way landings.

Mrs. Kenneth B. Smith and L. B. Lusby won the $2000 building society drawing on Saturday night.

The Burnaby loan by-law on Saturday was approved by the taxpayers by a vote of 28 to nil. There was thus no opposition to the intended raising of $25,000, which is greatly needed for roads, bridges, etc.

WILLIAMS HEAD WHARF.

Leamy of Westminster Gets It---Scotia's Brawny Sons---Traffic Resumed.

Vancouver, B. C., March 27.—Two boys of 15 were arrested on Sunday night for entering houses while the occupants were away and stealing clothing. The booty is valued at $150.

The Scotch beat the French-Canadians, the Canadians beat the Italians, and the English beat the Germans on a foul at an international tug-of-war on Saturday night.

James Leamy, of New Westminster, has been awarded the contract for the wharf at Williams' Head for quarantine purposes.

The C. P. R. line on the prairies is now cleared and four delayed trains arrived on Sunday.

The Vancouver Jockey Club will hold a spring meeting soon after that to be held in Victoria.

The supporters of Irish home rule have appointed committees for each city ward to raise funds for the cause.

KNIGHTS OF THE KEY.

The National Telegraphers' Tournament—Contestants and Prizes.

New York, March 27.—The result of the great fast national telegraphic tournament, which opened at noon on Saturday at Hardman's hall at 19th street, and Fifth avenue, will be awaited with great interest among the fraternity. The last tournament was held in 1890, and still another similar event, international in scope, is to take place during the World's Fair. There was little room to spare in that portion of the hall reserved for spectators when Henry F. Warren of the United Press, chairman of the tournament, opened the proceedings with a brief address, congratulating the fraternity on the interest manifested in the event, and explaining the conditions relating thereto.

The first contest of the day was the ladies' class, 500 words being sent and received, and the prizes ranging from $50 to $15. While this contest was in progress crack telegraphers who were entered in the remaining events began to arrive in force. Among them were William Gibson, formerly of Montreal, who on account of his previous record, is barred from all but two of the contests. L. Hayes, of the Chicago office of the United Press, J. H. Jones, Buffalo; E. D. Moore, formerly of Kansas City and Chicago; Fred Keene, one of the crack men of the Western Union cable department, and who is one of the five brothers all crack telegraphers; A. J. Swan, F. Catlin, H. B. Logan, Frank English and over two score others. The United Press and Western Union were especially well represented.

The second contest was for the J.W. Mackay prizes of $150 and $100. A free-for-all receiving contest on messages, William Gibson sending for 45 minutes. The afternoon programme closed with a free-for-all contest in sending and receiving, those who had sent more than 235 words in five minutes in a previous tournament being barred. In this contest there were 16 entries. The decision of the judges will be announced at the close of the tournament to-night.

The principal events of the evening meeting are the contest in the Walter P. Phillips code class, open to all, sending and receiving, two prizes of $100 and two of $75, senders to use the Walter P. Phillips code; and the contest for the championship of the world, which concludes the tournament. This also will be open to all, the first prize for both sender and receiver being the championship medal and $100, and the second prize $75.

It was stated during the progress of the afternoon tournament that the Mackay prizes were placed at the disposal of the committee while the California millionaire was confined to his room suffering from the bullet of an assassin, and that his thoughtfulness in this regard was peculiarly gratifying to the fraternity. The proceeds of the event will be used for the creation of a fund for the maintenance of the Telegraphers' Mutual Relief Association, which proposes to endow one or more hospital beds, and to relieve distressed telegraphers, their widows and orphans.

NEW BUILDINGS FOR VICTORIA.

The Supplementary Estimates at Ottawa Contain a Vote of $100,000.

Other British Columbia Items Proposed—No Voters' List Revision This Year.

Ottawa, March 27.—The additional supplementary estimates were brought down to-day. They provide for the sessional indemnity of the late Mr. Gordon and Mr. Armstrong, $1,000 each. There is also an item for the defence of Esquimalt, Dominion contribution, $70,000. To the William Head quarantine station is devoted $2,500, and for detention buildings at the same place, $15,000. A large and important item is for Victoria new public buildings, $100,000. Agassiz experimental farm takes $2,200. There is also for the Columbia river below the Kootenay, $1,200; Sumas river, removal of snags, $500; Fraser river, hydraulic survey, $100; and Okanagan river, improvements, $1,500. There is also a grant of $6,800 for the Indian department in the province of British Columbia.

On Saturday Mr. Foster announced that the government would not proceed with the bill to amend the franchise act this session, and there will consequently be no revision of the electoral lists.

Mr. Charlton moved in favor of the reduction of letter postage to two cents, but Sir Adolphe Caron declared this impossible at the present time. The motion was negatived.

The Talk of Toronto.

Toronto, arch 27.—The Empire says it is rumored that the name of Hon. Frank Smith will appear in the list of Queen's Birthday honors this year.

R. Hovenden's art store was damaged by fire to the extent of $12,000 early this morning. The cause is supposed to have been spontaneous combustion.

A cabman named John Somers, an employee of a livery stable, was fined $2 and costs or ten days in jail for driving a fare on Sunday. The complainant was a farmer.

PROOF OF PROSPERITY.

The Free Press to Have a New Home---Increased Water Supply.

Nanaimo, March 27.—Mr. C. Norris, proprietor and editor of the Free Press, has decided to erect a long-contemplated new home for that journal this summer. The building is to be a commodious structure of brick, three stories, 50 feet frontage, and a depth of over 80 feet. The work is expected to be commenced about the middle of April.

John Rosenfeld visited all the mines on Saturday, and according to his remarks he is anxious to make arrangements to get the New V. C. Co. coal into the San Francisco market at 50 cents less than it is sent there for at present. He thinks that by this method the miners here would be fully employed all the year round, and it would tend to keep a large amount of foreign coal out of the market and thus make it better for Nanaimo.

The Rugby football match between the Nanaimo Comets and Vancouver team took place here Saturday. The game was a fast and furious one, the field being wet and heavy, and made it rather hard for the teams, but this only appeared to lend energy to each player. When half time was called neither side had scored a point and the players were glad of the rest. The second half was played with equal spirit, and it was feared it would result in a draw, but before time was called George Lester managed to score a try for Nanaimo. The next match will probably be with the Victoria team if it can be arranged satisfactorily. The Lacrosse Minstrels met with a good reception in the opera house in the evening.

Arrangements are being made by the Water Works company to largely increase the system, and in view of this fact no dividend will be declared this year. It is proposed to devote $25,000 for new improvements.

Bonilla's Conspiracy.

Panama, March 27.—News was received to-day from Honduras that shows that Policarpo Bonilla, the leader of the revolution in that republic, has conspired with his followers to bring about a radical change in the government, but his enemies are skilful and are displaying great sagacity in their endeavors to defy his plans. This is shown by Acting President Aguero in the reorganization of the cabinet. Aguero has named Manuel Gamero as the minister of foreign affairs. Gamero is one of Bonilla's supporters, and his acceptance of the appointment removes him from the ranks of the revolutionists. In the reorganization Juan Angetiarias, secretary of state, and Leopold Cordova, minister of finance, of the old cabinet, were ruined. Adolfo Zuniga was made minister of education and Ponciano Planas was named as minister of public works. Notwithstanding the change made in the cabinet the revolution continues. Bonilla is confident that Aguero is only a tool of General Vasquez, who is working for the surrender of Bonilla for the purpose of getting himself into power.

—Dr. Campbll will deliver a lecture this evening on George Stevenson, the great railway engineer, in the schoolroom of the First Presbyterian church.

The Germania Club will hold its next monthly social dance on Easter Monday at Harmony Hall. Mr. Bantly furnishes the music.

SOMEBODY BLUNDERED.

A Misunderstanding of Orders Leads to a Premature Descent Upon Hayti.

General Marigat Had Planned a Concerted Movement But Now All is Spoiled.

Revolutionist Bonilla Being Headed Off in His Attempt by President Aguera.

Kingston, W.I., March 27.—News that a detachment of Haytian revolutionists had crossed from San Domingo and invaded Hayti was received here yesterday. General Marigat was much displased at this premature move. He had arranged all the plans for the uprising and had his forces well under control. There has evidently has been a misunderstanding of the orders of the leaders. Marigat fears that the unauthorized invasion may seriously interfere with his plans, and that Hippolyte, having knowledge of the plans to overthrow him, may be able to successfully resist the attempt.

BEHRING SEA.

Points of Contention in the British and American Cases.

New York, March 26.—The Herald has the following special from Paris:

At the meeting on Thursday of the Behring Sea arbitrators it was decided that the sittings would not be held behind closed doors. This permit makes public the exact points of contention. Briefly stated, the case of the United States is:

The Alaska fur seal is begotten, born and reared only upon Pribilof Islands, to which they return each spring to spend several months consorting together, that while at these islands the seals are easily controlled, and that discrimination can be and has been exercised; that while absent from the islands during migration, which reaches as far south as California, they land on no other shore and mingle with no other herd of fur seals; that because of these habits the Alaskan herd and each individual of it is the property of the U.S. The methods employed by the open sea sealers is attacked by the American government as destructive, and wasteful and is exterminating the seals. It is claimed that a large percentage of the seals killed by open sea hunters are females, a majority of which are about to become or are mothers, and that the destruction of pregnant females causes the death of the unborn young. The death of the mother seal killed while in search of food in the waters of Behring Sea destroys the offspring on the islands of Pribilof. It is further claimed that many of the seals shot in the open sea by hunters escape mortally wounded or sink before the hunter reaches them. Open sea sealing, it is argued, will result in the destruction of the herd in the near future. On the islands only a limited number of male seals are killed. As the seals are polygamous a large number of the males can be killed without affecting the birthrate of the herd. On these facts the American government claims, from the nature of the industry established on Pribilof Islands, the United States has the right to protect and preserve these seals wherever they may be found, as animals can only be killed on United States territory without danger of extermination. It is also claimed that owing to the long period of gestation, pelagic sealing cannot at any time be otherwise than destructive, dangerous and wasteful, and should be prohibited.

The case of Great Britain on the other hand is that Alaskan seals have not the characteristics of animals that can be made subject to property; that it is not certain that they land only on the Pribilof islands or that they do not intermingle with the Russian seal herd; or that they are pelagic in their nature, and therefore should be treated as fish rather than land animals; that many of the propositions essential to the position taken by the United States are unproved or contrary to the facts as to pelagic sealing; it is claimed that the reports of destructiveness and wastefulness have been exaggerated; that it is a legitimate and proper method of taking seals and can be prosecuted without danger of exterminating the herd. Much importance is also given by the British Government to the jurisdiction claimed over Behring Sea, but this appears to be treated by the United States government as a secondary consideration. Both nations concede that seals have decreased, the United States charging such decrease to the destruction of the producing sex by open sea sealing, and Great Britain claiming that the present condition has been caused by the excessive number of mares killed on the islands and the injurious effect of the method there employed.

No Idea of Annexation

New York, March 25.—Lieut-Governor Chapleau, of the province of Quebec, who left to-day on the French steamer for a three months' stay in Paris, spoke as follows when questioned as to the annexation sentiment in Canada: "There is no such sentiment, absolutely none. Canada has no idea of becoming a part of the States, but is anxious for some sort of commercial union, or better trade relations than those existing at present, and is willing to make advances and do her share in securing them."

Labor Union Rights.

New Orleans, March 25.—Judge Billings, in the United States court, this morning rendered a decision in a suit against the Amalgamated Council and the various other labor organizations last night. The suit asked for an injunction against these bodies, under the act of congress prohibiting combinations in restraint of trade. In an elaborate opinion, far-reaching in its effects, the court declares the acts complained of unlawful and the merchants entitled to an injunction and other relief. The decision fully discusses the rights of labor unions. As a result of the decision it was thought that a criminal prosecution against the defendants would probably be the next step, but it is not known whether the authorities will proceed further. The electric motormen who struck yesterday have already been defeated and the cars are being operated to-day by new men.

TREATED DIFFERENTLY.

Small Offenders At Ottawa Punished, While Larger Ones Go Fre

Ottawa, March 18.—John R. Arnoldi, formerly mechanical engineer of the public works department, is in jail; the minister under whom he officiated and who was cognizant of his wrong-doing, is in parliament. Major Perley, the late chief engineer of the public works department, is a dismissed official, wrecked and ruined in health, walking the streets of Ottawa, when able to be out of his room, with bent head and troubled heart, suffering untold misery from allowing himself to be made a scapegoat. Sir Hector Langevin is interesting himself in the northern boundaries of the province of Quebec in the Dominion legislature.

Andre Seneeal, late superintendent of the printing bureau, may be summoned any day before the bar of justice, as a case is now pending against him; Hon. J. A. Chapleau, who was his chief at the time of his misdoings, is lieutenant-governor of the province of Quebec.

Mr. Bradley, late secretary of railways and canals, has been dismissed and disgraced from the service; Hon. John Haggart is not only minister of railways but leader of the Conservative party in Ontario.

A few extra clerks have been dismissed from the interior department; but the man who presided over them is to-day lieutenant-governor of British Columbia.

Other minor officials receiving a pittance barely sufficient to support themselves from the public service, have been sent adrift to look out for themselves owing to the boodling transactions of the government; but Sir Adolphe Caron has been promoted in the government and is virtually Conservative leader for the province of Quebec to-day.

Hon. Thomas McGreevy and Nicholas K. Connolly are called to stand up for criminal prosecution before Judge Falconbridge on Tuesday next on a charge of conspiracy; the men whom they conspired to aid, if conspiracy there were, are now in office controlling the destinies of this young Dominion.

Gentle reader, horny-handed sons of toil, Times readers of all classes—is the picture large enough? If not, the lie can be lengthened. Is the picture black enough? I think it is, without any aid of the artist. Those who knew John R. Arnoldi in this city will say that no matter of what sins he may be guilty, in the way of of omission or commission, he deserved well of the Tory party. There are those in the far west who will have remembered Mr. Henderson, of the public works department here. He was sent into exile by being placed at Battleford as clerk, so as to compel him to resign. The reason was because he was a Liberal. It was the shuffle that brought about this that also placed Mr. Arnoldi in the position from which he was driven to save the head of the department. Everything under Mr. Arnoldi's control was run to suit the Tory machine. To obtain employment under him of necessity the applicant had to be at once of the same political faith as his "boss." Mr. Arnoldi was surrounded by boodling transactions of all kinds, and he naturally, although very wrongfully, thought that he might as well do a little himself in a small way. Then followed, therefore, the steamer "Joe," the "brass dogs," the gold watch, the horse, the jewels, etc., all of which came from the hands of contractors from whom Mr. Arnoldi bought heavily. There was no secret about this. The deputy head of the department not only knew that he was the owner of the Joe, but he told him to have it registered in another name so that cheques might pass through the department without any comment from the auditor-general.

Just think of it! Away in a lone corridor in the south part of the building, which the local people call Castle Kehoe, but which is the county prison, is the home of the once proud and haughty Arnoldi, whose impudence and abuse of Reformers before the public accounts committee, which first tried him, was as "brassy" as the dogs which he was presented with from an electrical firm in New York. Of all the "boodlers" who appeared before that tribunal, John R. Arnoldi was by far the most impudent and ill-bred. He had the indecency to insinuate that the late Alexander Mackenzie was the member of a firm who received a contract from the government of which he was premier. While he made the accusation he looked for applause from his political friends, but his atrocity was so unblushing that he got it not. He was satisfied that the people whom he befriended in the political field would not desert him in his affliction. The history of the rule of Sir John Macdonald was that he never forsook those who did him a good political turn, and that those who had gone back upon him he left by the wayside, political wrecks. That was the programme which every good Tory travelled by. Were Mr. Arnoldi in the box to-day what would his evidence be? Clad in the stripped garb of a prisoner, although a thousand times less guilty than those who were instrumental in putting him there, fed on prison fare and attended by prison officials, behind the tightly locked bars, what must his thoughts turn to? To be made the scapegoat of his party he could have suffered the taunts of the opposition press, but to be cast into prison by his friends is more than most men can bear. I have not seen him since his sentence, but I don't know John R. Arnoldi if he will not soon be heard from. That he is the possessor of valuable secrets, which make some men in high places now shake, is certain.

Hon. Thomas McGreevy, the ex-treasurer of the Tory campaign fund in Quebec, and N. K. Connolly are being prosecuted because they were able to get large sums from the Public Works Department and afterwards return them to the "boodle" brigade. No less than $25,000 at one shot went this way. Mr. Connolly was not in any way interested. He was a badly maligned man, but he had to make "donations" to the Tory party so as to get the hris's money out of the department. Fancy Thomas McGreevy in the dock and Sir Adolphe Caron, a Minister of the Crown, and then turn around and say that there is such a thing as justice in Canada. I will make a prediction, and it will be decided before this reaches you, and that is the Government will not continue their prosecution of McGreevy and Connolly. But in the meantime the subject best fitted for an historic painting and an object lesson is the late mechanical engineer of the Public Works Department, John R. Arnoldi. Well may he adapt Cardinal Wolsey's words to his own case: "Had I but served my country with half the zeal I served the Government, etc."

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A Demented Italian Socialist Throws a Stone at the King and is Arrested.

Lord Salisbury and A. J. Balfour Lending Their Aid Against Home Rule.

Challomel Lrcour Will Probably be the Late Jules Ferry's Successor.

Rome, March 25.—The city is in a state of great excitement over an assault made on King Humbert. The king was returning from the Villa Borghese, where he had been spending a portion of the day, when an Italian workman threw a stone at the king, the missile almost striking him. There was a considerable number of people on the streets at the time, it being about five o'clock in the evening, and several persons rushed upon the assailant and seized him before he had a chance to make another attempt at violence. The assailant was promptly taken in hand by the police. An immense crowd assembled and cheered the king with frantic enthusiasm, and all the way to the palace the scene was like a triumphal procession. King Humbert gracefully acknowledged the ovation, and was evidently deeply moved by the loyalty displayed by his subjects. The assailant of the king is a religious fanatic named Berardi. He had been sentenced to imprisonment for seven years for a murder committed a number of years ago. In 1882 he was released from prison and emigrated to America, the authorities thinking they had got rid of him for ever. Berardi, however, returned to Rome, but his presence did not attract attention until to-day. He has acknowledged that his intention was to insult King Humbert because the king had declined to be reconciled to the Pope.

Determined to Test It.

New York, March 27.—Lawyer Riordan, of San Francisco, the custodian of the fund of $60,000 contributed by the Chinamen of the Pacific Coast to test the constitutionality of the Geary law, compelling all resident Mongolians to be registered and photographed, is expected to arrive here to-day or to-morrow. He will have a conference with Lawyer Joseph H. Choate and ex-Secretary William M. Evarts, who have been, or are to be, retained in behalf of the Chinese in the legal proceedings to be begun. The subscriptions in the Chinese quarter of this city and Brooklyn toward the fund aggregate nearly $40,000, making a round total of $100,000.

Chicago's Great Charity.

Chicago, March 27.—Chicago is to have the first home for crippled children that are homeless and destitute to be established in this country. Two thousand charitable women have enrolled themselves in an organization for this purpose, and have divided the membership into thirty-five auxiliary committees. To-day a general conference of the officers of these auxiliaries is in progress. It is proposed to erect a structure at a cost of $150,000. Children from the ages of six to thirteen that are crippled in limbs, arms or body, will be given a home, provided with the most expert medical attendance, given a good education and taught some trade or profession that will enable them to be self-supporting through life. All denominations and all nationalities are represented amongst the promoters of the movement. The necessary funds are to be raised by subscriptions, concerts, entertainments, and other methods. A partial census has developed the fact that there are over one thousand crippled and destitute little ones in this city.

Fomenting the Trouble.

London, March 25.—Lord Salisbury has written to the Conservative leaders in Belfast promising to carry out the original programme for a great protest against Irish Home Rule at Whitsuntide, minus the usual demonstration, which his lordship, probably for prudential reasons, prefers to have omitted. Right Hon. A. J. Balfour will go to Belfast to be present at the demonstration to be held there at Easter. The Conservative newspapers teem with stories of warlike preparations in Ulster for resistance to Home Rule. The Orange lodges are undoubtedly getting a large increase of funds. Probably £50,000 has been subscribed to help them in their programme, but the Ulster authorities report to the executive in Dublin that no drilling is going on anywhere.

Lacour Succeeds Ferry.

Paris, March 25.—The senators who belong to the Left held a caucus to-day for the selection of a candidate for the presidency of the senate in place of the late Jules Ferry. Three ballots were taken, resulting in the election of M. Challomel Lacour, senator from Bouches du Rhone, and the newly elected member of the French Academy, as the candidate of the Left. On each ballot M. Challomel Lacour had more votes than either M. Constans, formerly minister of the interior, or M. Magnin, governor of the Bank of France.

Publishing is His Hobby.

London, March 26.—William Waldorf Astor, who recently purchased the Pall Mall Gazette and converted it from a Liberal into a Conservative organ, appears to have developed a liking for authorship. It is announced that he will start on May 1 the Pall Mall Magazine as a complement of the Pall Mall Gazette and the Pall Mall Budget, the latter of which is the weekly edition of the Pall Mall Gazette. The Pall Mall Magazine is to be published in London and New York, and will be sold for a shilling. Particular attention will be given to the art department, and its illustrations will be the leading feature. Lord Frederick Spencer Hamilton, formerly in the British diplomatic service, now a member of parliament, and ex-Judge Sir Douglas Straight will conduct the magazine. Swinburne will furnish the poem for the initial number.

Hippolytes' Hands Full.

Kingston, Jamaica, March 26.—Another long warfare between President Hippolyte's government and the factions opposed to his rule is now threatened. The insurgents have crossed from the Dominican frontier into Hayti and a battle has already been fought. This new movement is likely to cause trouble with San Domingo, and possibly war, should the present insurrection be quelled. A protracted struggle is the present outlook, owing to the mutinous and unsettled condition of the country. The battle is said to have been a decisive one, but the result is not stated. As the news comes from Port-au-Prince, under the seal of Hippolyte's government, the evident desire is to convey the belief that the authorities were victorious. This statement must be taken with considerable allowance, because more troops are being hurried to the frontier.

Ahlswardt a Dangerous Man.

Berlin, March 25.—Ahlwardt remains a dangerous factor in public life. Since his exposure in the reichstag his reception on the streets and at two public meetings which he has attended has been like what might be accorded a great servant of the state. Ahlwardt said he had been treated by the reichstag with the grossest injustice. The members, he declared, had obviously wanted to suppress the evidence he possessed to support the charges, and that he had a van full of documents which he had offered to produce for the examination of the reichstag. Continuing, Ahlwardt said if he had been given a fair hearing no unbiased mind would doubt the truth of his proofs. The vagueness of the accusations did not affect the enthusiasm of Ahlwardt's hearers, whose relish for stories of corruption in high places was on a par with their cruelty. Both official and unofficial papers concur in the opinion that it was an error in tactics to link the whole question of anti-Semitism with the question of Ahlwardt's veracity. In the debate in the reichstag the Conservatives repudiated him, yet they have taken another step toward strengthening the anti-Semitics in their party platform. Twenty-six members of that party are back of the bill prohibiting Jewish immigration and the naturalization of foreign Jews. The bill is designed to catch votes in country districts where the Judenhetze spreads like an epidemic. The three weeks of the Easter recess of the reichstag and landtag is generally passed in absolute quiet. This year sees the transference of political activity to the political platforms. The imminence of dissolution sends most of the members to face their constituents, and on all sides the Easter recess will be devoted to the probing of constituencies.

British National Chess Match.

London, March 27.—The annual national chess match between the crack teams from the universities of Cambridge and Oxford opened to-day in the large hall of the British chess club. A number of members of the aristocracy and of parliament, together with numerous representatives of science, art and the professions were among the spectators.

In Recognition of Merit

New York, March 27.—The Madison Square Concert Hall will be the scene to-night of a notable gathering of eminent New Yorkers, who will assemble around the banquet table to do honor to Hon. Daniel H. Burnham, director of works of the World's Fair, in recognition of the benefit which has accrued to architecture, sculpture and painting as a result of his connection with the enterprise. Edwin Booth, who, on account of his physical condition, has abstained from all social events for some time past, will have a seat at the head of the table alongside of Chauncey M. Depew, and among other guests will be William D. Howells, the author, Joseph Jefferson, Francis D. Millett, A. St. Gaudens, R. M. Hunt, Rev. G. H. Greer, W. W. Appleton, R. W. Gilder, Joseph Choate, and C. D. Warner.

Papal Emissaries.

London, March 27.—Mgr. Donathus Sbarretti and Rev. Hector Papi were among the passengers by the Cunarder which sailed from Liverpool to-day. The former has been appointed auditor and the latter is secretary to Apostolic Delegate Satolli, thus completing the staff of his embassy. They are the personal appointees of the holy father, who alone can revoke their appointment. They have their own duties, their own official stations, and will have to make their own reports to Rome. They are in high favor of the holy see, and have been prominently identified with the work of the Vatican at Rome.

Guarding Farmers' Interests.

New York, March 27.—Members of the industrial and farming classes throughout the state are signing petitions and adopting resolutions asking the legislature to amend the existing railroad commissioner law by adding two new members, one to be a telegraph operator of at least five years' experience, the other a bona fide farmer residing upon and working his own farm, the telegrapher to be recommended by the Knights of Labor, and the farmer by the Farmers' Alliance and Farmers' League. In a joint address issued by the Knights of Labor and the People's Party the following occurs: "The object of this amendment is to place a telegrapher on the board who would make a careful examination of the telegraphers employed by the railroads of the state, draft a code of rules and a method of examination, which would necessitate any telegrapher employed by the roads to pass a reasonable examination, as it is believed that many of the accidents on the roads of the state are caused by what are known as "plug" and incompetent operators, who are obliged to perform other duties in addition to telegraphing. By the addition of the farmer on the board it is hoped to do away with unjust, exorbitant and unreasonable freight charges on the farmers of this state, whose freight is known as "short haul freight," as against "long haul freight" from the west. We are informed, and believe that many farmers of the state of New York, pay as much for their short distances as is paid by the large concerns and manufacturers for a haul of 100 miles, especially where there are no competing roads."

Has a Mania for Incendiarism

Boston, March 27.—In the municipal court last week Judge Forsythe was engaged in hearing the testimony against Lewis A. Wright, the boy incendiary, who has confessed to the starting of three fires that destroyed as many buildings. Wright is 17, and is consequently just out of the category of a juvenile offender. He seems to have a mania for starting fires, although it is not accompanied by any well-defined motive. He will be held to the grand jury. Upon conviction he may be sent to the reformatory prison at Concord, or to the state prison for not less than three nor more than ten years.

Bullet Proof Armor.

Berlin, March 25.—According to the Vossiche Zietung, a syndicate has acquired from Herr Dowe, the Mannheim tailor, the bullet-proof cloth invention which has made the tailor's name famous everywhere. Herr Scarned, a civil engineer of Vienna, claims that the invention is a reproduction of his portable armor, which is patented in every European country. This armor, it may be stated, was tested in the presence of a number of military attaches and reported as useless. Scarned's armor was of knitted hemp, on which was placed a layer of compressed cotton. The material was then subject to hydraulic pressure and strengthened with thin steel bands, the whole covered with cloth. This armor was certainly bullet-proof, flattening as it did lead bullets fired at it. Its rejection by military authorities was due to belief that it could not form a part of a soldier's equipment in active service. Tailor Dowe's bullet-proof cloth is reported to be an improvement on Scarned's armor and considerably lighter.

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Getting too Old.

Chicago, March 25.—H. F. Royce, for a number of years past general superintendent of the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific railway at Chicago, has resigned for the reason of advanced age.

Testing the New Cruiser.

Lewes, Del., March 25.—The U. S. cruiser New York lifted anchor at 7 o'clock this morning and steamed out to sea. The conditions for making the cruiser's trial were more favorable to-day than at any time since she left dock at Cramp's yard.

Expert Telegraphers Contest.

New York, March 25.—About 1,500 persons at Hardman Hall this afternoon witnessed the opening of the tournament of the Telegraphers' Mutual Relief association. All the best telegraphers of the country were scattered among the audience. Among those present were J. H. Jones and B. L. Durkee, crack typewriters of Mr. Mackay of San Francisco, who have come on especially to compete.

MAKING STEEL.

The Result of Some Recent Interesting Experiments.

The London Times gives a long account of a number of experiments lately made with a new description of steel, the success of which appears to point to a revolution in the steel trade. It says, in part: An important advance in the manufacture of what is technically known as tool steel has been developed into practical shape in England. It is a new process, the invention of Francis C. Bates, of Philadelphia, which has been under trial in this country for the past 12 months on a working scale. It consists of converting a low-grade steel, by a remarkably economical process, into a high-grade steel, suitable for making turning tools for iron and steel, punches, chisels and similar articles.

The system is carried out by placing bars of Bessemer or other steel, containing a low percentage of carbon, in a specially designed furnace and subjecting them to a high temperature. The steel to be converted is embedded in a carbonaceous compound of special character, and placed in a chamber in the furnace, which has three firegrates with flues and passages so constructed that a surprising economy of fuel is secured by reason of the perfect character of the combustion. So complete is the combustion that there is no escape of any visible products in the form of smoke after the furnace has been started and although a very high temperature is maintained, equal to melting cast iron, the temperature of the escaping gas is remarkably low, so thoroughly is every item of heat utilized.

Many tons of steel have been converted, and a number of tools have been made from it. In all cases the tools thus made have turned out exceedingly well, some of them doing work comparable with that done by Mushet steel, which is the most costly steel made. Various brands of low-grade steel, including Bessemer, Glengarnock basic, Brown Bayley and Brymbo steel, costing on the average £7 per ton, have been tried. From these bars, when converted, turning tools, punches and chisels were made and successfully tested in actual work.

The process is, in fact, a commercial success, and constitutes a new departure in the manufacture of high-class steel from steel of a low grade. Many well-known users of steel have, after due trial, certified to its value, and have expressed their readiness to adopt it. Should the apparently reasonable expectations entertained respecting this steel be realized, a revolution in the steel trade should practically result. Moreover, by the Bates system, not only can steel be successfully treated, but wrought and cast iron can be converted. Its application, in fact, appears to be very far-reaching and capable of meeting the requirements of war as well as those of peace.

GELERT IN INDIA.

An Indian Story Which Has Come Down From Remote Times.

The Banjaras occasionally keep dogs, and it was, we believe, a Banjara dog which gave rise to the Bethgelert legend of India. The story comes from at least half a dozen different parts of India, the substance being identical, although the localities differ. This is how it runs:

"Once upon a time a poor man owed a large sum of money to a Banlya, and as he could pay nothing the Banlya came to seize his property, but he found that all he had was a dog. 'Well,' said the Banlya, 'since you have nothing else I will take the dog; he will help to watch my house.' So the poor man took a tender farewell of his four-footed friend with many injunctions to serve his new master faithfully and never attempt to run home. Some time after the dog got to his new home thieves broke into the house and took all they could find. The dog barked as loudly as he could, yet the Banlya snored on peacefully, and so, seeing the thieves disappearing with the booty, he followed them and saw them hiding their treasure in holes dug in the dry bed of a nala. He then ran home and never stopped barking until his master woke up. The Banlya was almost frantic with grief on discovering his loss and was about to wreak his vengeance on the dog, but, attracted by his strange behavior, he determined to watch him instead. The dog at once led the way to the nala and began scratching at the hole, and very soon the stolen wealth was again in possession of its lawful owner. The Banlya's delight on recovering his property was so great that he wrote on a paper 'Your dog has paid your debt,' and, fastening it to his dog's collar, he bade him return to his old master, and the faithful dog, full of joy, trotted on as hard as he could go. His old master, as it happened, just about this time began to long for a sight of his dog and determined to go and see how he was getting on. When half way on his journey he saw the dog running toward him. He drew his sword and waited his approach, and as the dog, with a whimper of joy, sprang forward to caress him, he cut off his head with his sword, crying out: 'Thou disobedient dog! Pay the penalty of deserting thy post.' Then too late he saw the note attached to his dead friend's neck, and was seized with such remorse that he fell upon his neck and died. The man and the dog are buried in one grave, and any one travelling to Haiderabad may still see the grave by the roadside."

Fort Sheppard.

The City of Kootenay Land and Improvement Company, Limited, will open an office at 26 Fort street, in the Five Sisters block, on the 1st of March, next, when a limited number of lots in the town of Fort Sheppard will be offered for sale.

A WILD NOBLEMAN.

He Now Sleeps in a Lone Grave at Laurel Hill, 'Frisco.

Out in Laurel Hill, in a secluded spot, lies Edwin Oliver St. John, the last of a noble English family of that name, and not even a head board bearing his name marks the spot.

He was buried there by the Salvation Army a little over three years ago, having become a "soldier" about a year previous to his death, and shortly after his arrival in this city from Brisbane, Australia.

Captain Milsap, of the Salvation Army, who still has the papers and letters found on the young man after his death, and who corresponded with his relatives, tells a rather romantic tale of the checkered career of the young Englishman, whom circumstances and folly brought from a refined and luxurious home in London to poverty, death and a pauper's grave in San Francisco.

A year or so previous to his arrival here, his faher, Sir Vance St. John, of Grange College, Grange Hill, London, gave him his patrimony, and on account of his wild ways cut him adrift. The young man with a moderate fortune sailed for Brisbane, where, while his money lasted, he led a life of reckless extravagance and debauchery.

One day he found himself penniless, and in a moment of desperation shipped on a sailing vessel as a common sailor, bound for Portland, Ore. The voyage was an unusually rough one, and the young Englishman, unused as he was to such a life, suffered severely. During a severe storm which lasted three days, he sustained severe internal injuries, the result of a fall from the lower rigging to the deck, which finally resulted in his death.

Arriving at Portland, he was destitute and friendless in a strange land, and it was then that he joined the Salvation Army and proved himself a good and efficient soldier while he remained in Portland, which was several months. Finally he drifted to San Francisco and became a soldier here, but not for long, for after a few months of service his health failed, and within a few days he died.

His father is an English baronet, and one of his uncles is, or was, connected with the British legation at the City of Mexico.

Notwithstanding the prominence of the young man's relations, no one has ever looked after his remains or made inquiry ters, who wrote a note requesting to be informed of his place of burial.—San Francisco Call.

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THE COUNTY COURT.

To the Editor: Foremost amongst the institutions of our province stands the county court; it is facile princeps. Were providence in its wisdom to promote our supreme court to a more exalted sphere, we should still survive, but the loss of the county court would be irreparable.

It has been built up by our ablest men; it is the work of many years; there has been much careful removing and relaying of stones; but at last the edifice was completed. The community viewed it with pride and satisfaction; within its walls merchant and laborer alike found ready redress; the rich man could no longer crush his poorer brother who was unable to meet him in the supreme court. Its criminal jurisdiction has been of late greatly extended, but it has long held large civil powers, and its exercise of these has been attended by admirable results. Well, sir, you would suppose that such an institution was destined to stand forever. Permit me to say that this would be to take a very superficial view of things. Mr. Attorney-General Davie, finding himself in power, observes, with a light heart: "If others could build I can destroy," and he forthwith demolishes more than half the civil jurisdiction of the county court.

Mr. Davie is a very able man. I warmly admire the courage with which he has thrown overboard the best interests of the people to feed his brethren who are clamoring in the waters below. He could not fail to know that he was driving a large handful of nails into his political coffin.

I may have something more to say on this subject. F.W.

March 18, 1893.

Officer A. H. Braley
of the Fall River Police

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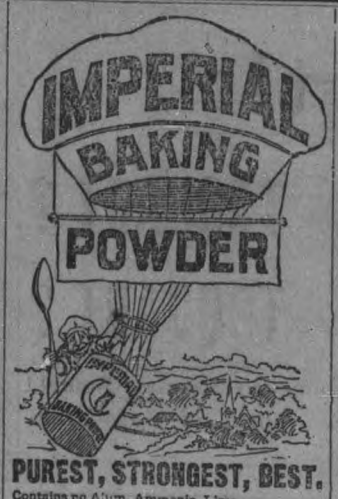

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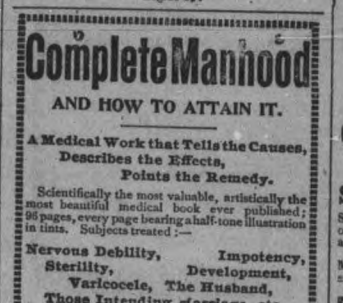
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A BY-LAW

To Regulate the Numbering of Hawkers and Pedlers.

Whereas by sub-section 61 of section 104 of the Municipal Act, 1892, the Council is empowered to make, alter and repeal by-laws inter alia to regulate the numbering of hawkers and pedlers,

Therefore the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria enacts as follows:

Sec. 1. Every hawker or pedler licensed under the Revenue By-Law, 1889, shall at the time of the issue of his license receive from the collector a plate bearing a number which shall be affixed on a prominent place on the outside of his wagon, cart or other vehicle or basket or other receptacle for carrying or conveying his goods, wares, or merchandise and said plate shall remain thereon during the period for which the license is granted or in case more than one basket or other receptacle is carried by the licensee then the plate shall be attached to one of such baskets or other receptacle, and such plate shall be returned to the collecor at th expiration of the term of the license and may be reissued by him.

Sec. 2. Any person convicted of a breach of this by-law shall forfeit and pay at the discretion of the convicting magistrate a penalty not exceeding the sum of fifty dollars, for each offence exclusive of costs and in default of payment of the said penalty and costs forthwith the said penalty and costs or costs only may be levied by distress and sale of the goods and chattels of the offender and in case of there being no distress found out of which such penalty can be levied the convicting magistrate may commit the offender to the common jail of the city of Victoria with or without hard labor for any period not exceeding one calendar month unless the said and penalty costs be sooner paid.

Sec. 3. This By-Law may be cited as "The Hawker and Pedler Numbering By-Law, 1893."

Passed the Municipal Council the 27th day of January, 1893.

Reconsidered, adopted and finally passed by the Council the 1st February, 1893.

ROBERT BEAVEN,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, Mayor.
C. L. C.

NOTICE.

The above is a true copy of the by-law passed by the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria on the 1st day of February, A.D. 1893, and all persons are hereby required to take notice that anyone desirous of applying to have such by-law or any part thereof quashed must make his application for that purpose to the Supreme Court within one month next after the publication of this by-law in the British Columbia Gazette, or he will be too late to be heard in that behalf.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
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RAGS WANTED.

Three Cents a Pound paid for Rags of any kind except all wool, a the Times Office.

HALF DOLLAR POTATOES.

Tobacco and Gold are on a Par On the Upper Yukon River, Alaska.

R. D. Miles, a visitor in this city, gives a graphic account of the prices current for ordinary commodities on the upper Yukon River, Alaska.

He has just returned from that country, where, he states, there were over 100 men at work during the past summer washing gold from the river bars and rifts. The majority of them will winter in that country.

"Well, I'll tell you, I am glad to get back to civilization again," he said. "Gold is plentiful; in fact it is an ordinary trick for a man to wash out from $20 to $60 a day, but a man needs all that to live anyway comfortable in that country, and he has but little to show after a season of hard work.

"When I left that country a trader with a small stock of goods was making his way up the river from some of the coast trading points in a canoe. In fact he had several of them loaded with provisions. He was assisted in his journey by half a dozen Indians.

"Well, when he left, after selling out his cargoes, he had about all the gold dust the miners had washed out in four or five months of steady work.

"We ran short of provisions and had subsisted on bear meat and other game so long that we willingly parted with nearly all we had to get some civilized eatables.

"Well, this trader—his name was Emmons—sold the several sacks of spuds he had with him at the rate of from 30 to 50 cents per potato.

"His flour sold for $30 a sack and we were just glad enough to pay $5 a pound for the very poorest quality of tea he had with him.

"He had several sides of bacon in his stock, which he disposed of at about $1 a slice. A few sacks of the despised bean brought $1 a pound.

"We had been out of tobacco for nearly two months, and had drawn but little solace out of pipefuls of dried leaves and moss. When this fellow appeared on the scene we took him to our hearts as a benefactor and gave him ounces of gold for plugs of tobacco. An ounce of gold brings $16 in Alaska and $19 at the mint here.

"We bought a hundredweight of onions, for which we had assessed six ounces of gold.

"You must not think from this appalling price-list that we were starving to death. We had plenty of game and fish, but that kind of grub palls on the appetite.—San Francisco Call.

Chloroform as an Antiseptic.

Although chloroform administered as an anæsthetic by unskilled hands has often proved most dangerous to life, its utility as an antiseptic deserves the notice given it in the medical article recently published in the New York Herald.

Its foreign medical correspondent shows in that article that during epidemics chloroform given in small doses, whether in the form of vapor or as a chloroform water, is harmless and at the same time is one of the most efficacious agents in destroying the germs of disease. Being so diffusible it penetrates quickly into the nasal fossæ, the throat and bronchial tubes, and acts directly on the microbes. In tuberculous bronchitis a combination like the following—

Creosote	3 grammes
Tincture of cinchona	30 grammes
Pure chloroform	3 grammes
Malaga wine	300 grammes

is absolutely harmless and has an astonishing effect in hastening recovery if given during the early attacks of the disease, the dose being a dessertspoonful in half a glass of water morning and evening and just before the two principal meals.

The correspondent adds:—"The quickness of its [chloroform's] action in the treatment of pulmonary consumption in its early stages is claimed to be so manifest that it is clearly our duty to give it a trial, even if we only do so in those unfortunately too frequent cases in which the usual methods of treatment have failed."

Dodds, the Quadroon Soldier of France.

Very few people probably are aware of the fact that General Dodds, the commander-in-chief of the present French expedition in Dahomey, is a quadroon. He was born in 1842 in Senegal, on the west coast of Africa. His father was a French merchant, his mother a mulatto. He is tall, of slight build, with a thin face. His mustache and goatee are black and his close-cropped hair is tanned from years of exposure in Africa. He is a man of tried courage and energy, and has received the commission of brigadier general in the French army. According to the New York Sun, he is just the man needed to command the African troops of France in Senegal and her other southern possessions and to make war against negro potentates. General Dodds graduated from the national military school in 1864 with the rank of second lieutenant of naval infantry. He was made first lieutenant in 1867, captain in 1869, major in 1879, lieutenant colonel in 1883, and colonel in 1887. His entire active service, with the exception of two years on the Isle of Bourbon, on the southeast coast of Africa, in 1867-68, and two years in Tonkin in 1885-86, has been in Senegal, where he has continually worked to enlarge the boundaries of the French colony. General Dodds expected to be made governor of Senegal as soon as he had earned the rank of general.

From all the engagements in which General Dodds has taken part—and he fought through the Franco-German war, the Commune and the Tonkin campaign—he has come out unscathed.

Negro Slaves of Indians.

"When the war closed there were about 600 negroes owned by the Creek Indians," said F. B. Severs, a wealthy cattleman of Muscogee, I. T., stopping at the Laclede. "When they were free the Indians attempted to drive them out of the territory, but the Government wouldn't permit it, but made them citizens of the Creek nation and clothed them with all the rights and privileges of a fullblood. The Indians were compelled to accept this state of affairs. For awhile they badly treated their blackskinned brothers, heaping all sorts of indignities upon them which were borne with patient fortitude. When the lands were divided the Government gave them a pro rata share. They have increased in population, now numbering about 2,000, raised respectable families and are doing well. They vote and are elected to office, own prosperous farms, educate their children and make good citizens. The two races get along admirably together, and seem to be the happiest darkies on the American continent."—St. Louis Republic.

Devoted to Ireland.

In Miss Maud Gonne the Irish cause has found a champion who will command the attention of almost any audience, both on account of her eloquent patriotism and her charming personality. Miss Gonne devotes all her energies toward enlightening the world—non-English-speaking nations in particular—on the somewhat intricate Irish question. Though amply able to cope with this from a political point of view, Miss Gonne prefers to present the wrongs of her country in a more sympathetic guise. Warm-hearted and generous, full of the impetuosity characteristic of the Irish race, she rises far above the ordinary lukewarm patriot, of whom there have been so many sorry specimens. Miss Gonne is pathetic, affectionate and defiant as she touches on the many glorious deeds of patriotism in every period of the history of Ireland—a patriotism which, like the shamrock, springs up in the heart of every true daughter or son of Erin.

MISS MAUD GONNE.

At a recent lecture Miss Gonne fairly electrified her audience by her superb rendition of this poem, dear to every Irish heart:

The harp that once through Tara's halls,

Miss Gonne was born at Kerry in 1866 and received her education in Dublin. Her father was an Irish landlord and officer in the British army. Though her parents' tastes and sympathies were decidedly English she, nevertheless, has sacrificed everything to devote her life and her fortune to the Irish cause.

ODDS AND ENDS.

Boston has two negro councilmen.

Brandy was first used medicinally.

Icebergs sometimes last 200 years.

Six-inch heels were once the fashion.

The sound of vowels is photographed.

There are twenty-three patterns of gimlets.

The heart of a Greenland whale is a yard in diameter.

The China St. Petersburg canal is 4,472 miles long.

Rabbitsburg is the name of a town in West Virginia.

A revolver has been invented that shoots seven times a second.

DUAL SLEEPING.

Others Should Never Allow Children to Sleep Together.

"I have been looking at some furnished houses," said a woman lately, "and I am surprised to find how much the use of single beds has increased, at least among New Yorkers. I was curious enough to inquire about the matter at a furniture store, and the dealer told me that in ordering suits, particularly the high priced ones, the choice was often given of two single or one double bedstead," which would seem to indicate that the wealthy class that is oftenest abroad is bringing home this practice. It is beginning to be understood, however, by a growing number of persons that to sleep alone appreciably contributes to one's rest and health. The system undergoes electrical changes during the night's sleep, and where persons lodge together night after night under the same bedding these changes must mutually react with appreciable results.

The London Lancet called attention not long ago to the habit of dual sleeping, saying that there is nothing that will so derange the nervous system of a person who is eliminative in nervous force as to lie all night in bed with another who is absorbent of nervous force. The latter will sleep soundly and rise refreshed, while the former will toss restlessly, and will awake in the morning weary, peevish and discouraged. No two persons, no matter who they are, ought habitually to sleep together. The one will thrive, the other lose. An aged person and a child should not be bedmates; great as is the pleasure to grandma to have her "little comfort" with her at night, it is one which the wise as well as the fond relative will forego for the child's sake.

A case recently came to the writer's knowledge of two sisters fifteen and seventeen years old. The younger was a splendid specimen of young womanhood, robust, active and merry, while the elder, though not ill in any definite way, was thin, tired out quickly and fretted over trifles like a nervous old woman. These conditions finally came to be accepted, and probably would have continued indefinitely if an English relative, a physician, had not made the family a visit. His sharp eyes noted the morning lassitude of the elder girl and the corresponding freshness of her sister at breakfast, and he drew his conclusions. An inquiry of the mother secured the knowledge that they not only slept in the same bed, but, said she, "Elise's (the elder) devotion to her sister is such that for years she has only gone to sleep when she could hold Mabel close in her arms."

The doctor fairly snorted at this sentiment and in the end persuaded the sisters to sleep apart. Two pretty brass bedsteads side by side offered propinquity and company, but prevented contact, with the result that in six months' time Elise showed a marked improvement in her general health and has become in eighteen months a happy, good tempered young woman, with considerable increase of avoirdupois. In this case at least the improvement dates from the moment of separate beds.—Her Point of View in New York Times.

IN GREAT DEMAND

It has been a busy time at 104 Yates street lately. North Kaslo city lots have been in great demand. Yesterday there were 48 lots sold in Vancouver and 12 in Victoria. Those who seek a good paying investment should at once secure some of this property before it is all gone. The advantageous situation of this property on the north shore of Kaslo Bay renders it highly desirable residential property.

—Madras Muslins and Art Silks in new designs and beautiful colorings at Weller Bros.

—Property in North Kaslo City going fast. Get in on time. Head office at 104 Yates street.

HER SISTER'S BEAU.

And How He Was Entertained by the Bright Little Tot.

My sister'll be down in a minute,
And says you're to wait if you please
And says I might stay till she comes
If I promise her never to tease.

Nor speak till you speak to me first,
But that's nonsense; for how would you know
What she told me to say if I didn't?
Don't you really and truly think so?

And then you'd feel strange here alone,
And you wouldn't know just where to sit;
For that chair isn't strong on its legs
Therefore we never use it a bit.

We keep it to match with the sofa,
But Jack says it would be just like you
To flop yourself right down upon it,
And knock out the very last screw.

'Spose you try; I won't tell—you're afraid to!
Oh! you're afraid they would think it was mean,
Well, there's the album—it's pretty—
If you're sure that your fingers are clean.

For sister says sometimes I daub it,
But she only says that when she's cross,
There's her picture; you know—it's like her,
But she ain't so good-looking, of course.

This is me; it's the best of 'em all,
Now tell me you'd never have thought
That once I was as little as that;
It's the only one that could be bought.

For that was the message to papa
From the photograph man where I sat—
That he wouldn't print off any more
Till he first got his money for that.

What! maybe you're tired of waiting?
Why, often she's longer than this;
There's all her back hair to do up
And all of her front hair to friz.

But it's nice to be sitting here talking
Like grown people, just you and me;
Do you think you'll be coming here often?
Oh, do; but don't come like Tom Lee?

Tom Lee, her last beau—why, my goodness!
He used to be here day and night,
'Till the folks thought he'd be her husband
And Jack says that gave him a fright.

You won't run away, then, as he did?
For you're not a rich man they say,
Pa says you're as poor as a church mouse;
Now, are you? and how poor are they?

Ain't you glad you met me? well, I am;
For I know now your hair isn't red;
But what there is left is mossy
And not what that naughty Jack said.

But there—I must go; sister's coming,
But I wish I could wait just to see
If she ran up to you and kissed you
In the way that she used to kiss Lee.

—Erie Herald.

A Sign.

Henry's father (as he comes downstairs at 7.30 A.M.)—I'll bet Henry won't want any breakfast this morning.

"Bless This Frugal Meal."

"How do you like the new minister?" inquired one of the leading members of a suburban flock of the deacon's wife, says the New York Herald.

"I don't like him at all," was the reply.

"Of course I invited him to dine with us when he was here on trial, and naturally enough I apologized in advance for the dinner, but I leave it to you if that afforded him ground to insult me?"

"Insult you? Certainly not. How did he do that?"

"Oh, when it came time to say grace, he asked the Lord to bless the 'frugal meal,' and really, between us, I must admit that I had made most elaborate preparations."

Professor Blackie's Secret.

"Tr-fe s-r," said a gentleman recently to the famous Professor Blackie, of Edinburgh, "may I ask the secret of your happiness?"

"Yes," replied the genial Professor, who in his old age is as sprightly and merry as a schoolboy. "Here is the secret. I have no vain regrets for the past, I look forward with hope to the future and I always strive to do my duty."

Where the Difference Came In.

He—"What makes the pupils of your eyes so large?"

She—"The oculist put atropine or belladonna in them; and now, do you know, when I sit down to eat I can see nothing on the table at all."

He—"That's the way it is with me at my boarding house; but at opine has nothing to do with it."

Ungallant, but True.

In a ball room.

Doctor to General—It is not gallant of your officers to dance the whole evening with the young girls and to utterly neglect the elderly maidens, who are really well preserved.

General—Every one to his taste, my dear sir. Soldiers always prefer what is fresh to what is preserved.—Fliegende Blaetter.

Wanted to Get Acquainted.

Tramp—Here's a pie I stole off yer windy, mum. I want to bring it back.

Housekeeper—Well, I'm glad you've got some conscience.

Tramp—Yes'm, I'm tough, but I don't care to eat a strange mince-pie.—Texas Siftings.

One of The Advantages.

"Hoopskirts! The idea! How can they expect us to be graceful in them?"

"I don't know. There's one consolation, though. We can be as ungraceful as we please without anyone knowing the difference."—Indianapolis Journal.

Looking to the Future.

"I want six buttons put on the coat," he said to the tailor.

"But three buttons are proper."

"I know; but it won't be long before half of them will be off."—Philadelphia Record.

Offering Him a Chance.

"You don't know a good poem when you see one," said an irate contributor to the editor who had returned his offerings.

"Oh, yes, I do," replied the editor with a pleasant smile. "Bring one in and I'll convince you."

No Use.

"I'm going to ask that young man his intentions," said her father.

"Oh, papa!" cried the fair girl. "What's the use? It would only embarrass him. Cholly never had an intention in his life."

A Small Affair.

Office-Boy—"The book-keeper kicked me, sir."

Employer—"Well, you don't expect me to have time to attend to all these little details?"

Laconical.

First Dog—"Are you going to eat?"

Second Dog—"Gnaw."

St. Jacobs Oil

THE GREAT REMEDY FOR PAIN, CURES

RHEUMATISM,

Backache, Bruises,

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IF YOU USE WOODEN PAILS AND TUBS
USE THE BEST

Eddy's

WOODENWARE AND WASHBOARDS
HAVE NO EQUAL

P.S.--But why not use Eddy's Indurated Fibre Ware?

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MAMMOTH WORKS: HULL, CANADA.

DULUTH

THE DIVISIONAL TERMINUS OF THE CANADA WESTERN RAILWAY, AT DUNCAN'S BAY, VANCOUVER ISLAND.

Duluth has been officially announced to be the Terminus as above.

The first call of $100,000 on the Railway Stock has been fully paid up

The Lots owned by the Railway Company in Duluth are not for sale.

PRICES OF LOTS range from $75 to $750.

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BY-LAW

No. 187.

The Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria enacts as follows:—

Sec. 1. The Commissioners of Sewers By Law, 1892, is hereby repealed.

Passed the Municipal Council on the 10th day of February, 1893.

Reconsidered, adopted and finally passed by the Council on the 15th day of February, A. D. 1893.

[L.S.] ROBERT BEAVEN, Mayor.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C.M.C.

No. 188.

A BY-LAW

Author sing the Corporation of the City of Victoria to Borrow the sum of $225,000.00 in anticipation of the receipt of its Revenue for the year 1893.

Whereas under and by virtue of sub-section 134 of section 104 of the Municipal Act, 1892, every municipality may under the conditions contained in said sub-section borrow from any person such sum of money not exceeding an amount equal to the total amount of taxe upon land or real property as shown by th revised assessment roll of the municipality fo the preceding year, and bearing such rate of interest as may be requisite, to meet the current legal expenditure of the corporation which becomes payable out of the annual revenue before the revenue for the year be somes payable by the tax payers;

And whereas the total amount of the tax upon land for the year 1892 is $225,007.55 and upon improvements $11,551.87;

And whereas to meet the current legal expenditure of the Corporation of the City of Victoria for the year 1893 payable out of the annual revenue before such revenue for such year becomes payable by the tax payers, it is requisite for the said Corporation to borrow the sum of $225,000.

Therefore be it enacted by the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:—

Sec. 1. It shall be lawful for the Corporation of th City of Victoria by the Mayor and Finance Committee thereof, to borrow upon the credit of the said Corporation from any person or persons, firm or firms, corporation or corporations who may be willing to advance the same, the sum of $225,000.00, in such amounts and at such times as the same may in the opinion of the Mayor and the Finance Committee of the Council be required, bearing interest at a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum.

Sec. 2. The money so borrowed shall be expended in defraying the current legal expenses of the said Corporation for the year 1893, and shall, together with the interest thereon, be payable and repaid to the lender or leaders thereof on or before the 31st day of December, 1893, out of the municipal revenue for the said year.

Sec. 3. An acknowledgement of such liability shall be in the form of a promissory note signed by the Mayor and the Finance Committee and Clerk of the said Corporation and shall be sealed with the corporate seal of the said Corporation.

Sec. 4. In the construction of this by-law the expressions "Land" and "Improvements" and "Real property" shall have respectively the meaning given to them in section 2 of the Municipal Act, 1892.

Sec. 5. This by-law may be cited as the "Annual Loan By-Law, 1893."

Passed the Municipal Council the 17th day of February, A. D. 1893.

Reconsidered, adopted and finally passed the Council the 20th day of February, A. D. 1893.

[L.S.] ROBERT BEAVEN, Mayor.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C.M.C.

A FORTUNE

Inherited by few, is pure blood, free from hereditary taint. Catarrh, consumption, rheumatism, **Scrofula,** and many other maladies born in the blood, can be effectually eradicated only by the use of powerful alteratives. The standard specific for this purpose—the one best known and approved—is **Ayer's Sarsaparilla,** the compound, concentrated extract of Honduras sarsaparilla, and other powerful alteratives.

"I consider that I have been

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several hundred dollars' expense by using Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and would strongly urge all who are troubled with lameness or rheumatic pains to give it a trial. I am sure it will do them permanent good, as it has done me."—Mrs. Joseph Wood, West Plattsburgh, N.Y.

Dr. J. W. Shields, of Smithville, Tenn., says: "I regard Ayer's Sarsaparilla as the best blood medicine on earth, and know of many wonderful cures effected by its use."

"For many years I was laid up with Scrofula, no treatment being of any benefit. At length I was recommended to give Ayer's Sarsaparilla a trial. I did so, and

By Taking

about a dozen bottles, was restored to perfect health—weighing 230 pounds—and am now a believer in the merits of Ayer's Sarsaparilla."—James Petsy, Mine Boss, Breckenridge Coal Co. (Limited), Victoria, Ky.

"My niece, Sarah A. Losee, was for years afflicted with scrofulous humor in the blood. About 18 months ago she began to use Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and after taking three bottles was completely cured."—E. Caffall, P.M., Losee, Utah.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla

Prepared by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.
Sold by all Druggists. Price $1; six bottles, $5.

Cures others, will cure you

New Telegraph Hotel.

Accommodation for 100 guests. This hotel is a three-story brick, with basement; has electric light and gas, and all the modern conveniences, and commands a fine view of the harbor. Terms, from $1 to $2 per day.

daw JONATHAN MERRIFIELD.

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WANTED—A boy for work in a store. Apply 56 Fort St. mar24

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EMPLOYMENT WANTED by handy man on farm. Can also work in wood or iron. Got some tools. Address L. P. G., this office. jmar24-3t

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LOST—A pair of gold rimmed glasses. Finder will be rewarded on leaving them at the TIMES Office. no23-tf

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FOR SALE—First class cushion tyred safety bicycle, almost new, price $75; also pony cart, built last fall, suitable for small sized pony. Price $30. Apply to Wm. Christie, C. P. R. Telegraph office. m20-tf

FOR SALE—A good business, suitable for female. Stock and good will $400. Address A. B., Times office. m20-6t

FOR SALE—A good spring wagon with horse and harness complete for $140. Apply to Geo. Phillips, 146 Government St. f28-tf

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KASLO, B. C.

WANTED—Lots in Kaslo. Send full description, title, price, terms, etc., to

D. GILES, Kaslo, B. C.

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MR. ROBERT GEDDES, TEACHER OF GUITAR AND BANJO Classes or private lessons. Apply at the Conservatory of Music, 97 Quadra street.

BANJO AND GUITAR INSTRUCTIONS—By Chicago's popular banjo player and guitarist, PROF. T. W. REAMER. Rare chance for beginners and advanced pupils. Room 73, Five Sisters Block. (Take elevator). m10-1m

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C. P. N. CO., LD., STEAMER

Princess Louise

IRVING, MASTER. Will leave Rithet's inner wharf —FOR— Port Simpson and Way Ports ON MONDAY, March 27th, At 6 o'clock p.m.

For freight or passage apply at office of company, Wharf street. The company reserve the right to change this time table at any time without notification. JOHN IRVING, m12-td Manager.

NOTICE.

We have several good tenants for 5 and 7 room houses. Returns rendered monthly. BEAUMONT BOGGS & CO., mar25-1w Williams Building Broad St.

NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT.

In pursuance of the "Creditors Trust Deeds Act, 1890," notice is hereby given that Thomas Russell, of 27 Ellis street, in the city of Victoria, British Columbia, accountant, has assigned all his real and personal property to William Wilson, of Government street, in the city of Victoria, and residing at Pemberton road, in the city of Victoria, clothier, and James Burns, of Beacon Cottage, Beacon Hill, in the city of Victoria, British Columbia, commission merchant, in trust for the purpose of paying and satisfying proportionately and without preference or priority the creditors of the said Thomas Russell. The said deed was executed by the said assignor and trustees on the 22nd day of March, 1893, and the assignees have undertaken the trusts created by the said deed.

Dated 22nd March, 1893.

S. PERRY MILLS, 46 Langley street, Victoria, Solicitor for the Assignees. March 24-1m

AMUSEMENTS.

GRAND SACRED CONCERT

—IN THE— EMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH, On Monday Evening, March 27th,

PROGRAMME.

Anthem—"Praise Ye the Lord"..Richards
Solo.....
Mr. G. Watson.
Violin Selection—"Heimroch".....Jungman
Master F. Richardson.
Solo—"The Children's Home".....Cowen
Mrs. Temple.
Solo—"Ora Pro Nobis".....Piccolimini
Mr. E. White
Organ Solo—"March from Eli".....M. Costa
Mr. G. J. Burnett.
Solo—"Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah"
Mrs. A. J. Clyde.
Anthem—"The Lord is My Shepherd".....
PART II.
Solo—"The Plains of Peace".....Bainard
Mr. H. Kent.
Duet—"Till We Meet Again".....Bailey
Miss Campbell and Mr. Watson
Solo—"Eternal Rest".....Piccolimini
Mr. J. G. Brown
Violin selection—"Souvenir de Bellini"
Mr. R. Wolff, L. C. M.
Solo—"That Sweet Story of Old" Marzalls
Miss O'Neil
Guitar selection—"Theme and Var" Ferrer
Mr. Geddes.
Solo—"The Better Land".....Cowen
Mrs. Temple
Organ Solo—"March Medley".....
Mr. G. J. Burnett.
Doxology.....

mar22-td

GRAND BALL.

The Saanich Agricultural Society will hold a Ball on

Wednesday, April 5.

Supper furnished by the Ladies of the Committee. Tickets, $1.50. W. R. ARMSTRONG, mar21-td Secretary.

GRAND FANCY DRESS BALL

AT THE Philharmonic Hall, Tuesday, April 11th.

Tickets, $1.50 each including supper. Music by Professor Haynes. Supper from Whitelaw's. No masks allowed. Tickets at Waitt's music store. Doors open at 8:30. m25-td

Notice of Assignment.

Notice is hereby given that Aaron Lewis, carrying on business under the name and style of A. Lewis and Co., at No. 60 Yates street, in the city of Victoria, British Columbia, stove and hardware merchant, has assigned all his real and personal property to George Frank Mathews, of Government and Johnson streets, in the city of Victoria, and residing at No. 308 Dallas road, hardware merchant, and Robert Dudgeon, residing at the Brunswick hotel, Yates street, in the city of Victoria, bookkeeper to the said Aaron Lewis, in trust, for the purpose of paying and satisfying proportionately and without preference or priority the creditors of the said Aaron Lewis.

The said deed was executed by the said assignor and trustees on the 17th day of March, A. D. 1893, and the assignees have undertaken the trusts created by the said deed.

All persons having claims against the said Aaron Lewis must forward and deliver full particulars of claim, duly verified, to the assignees at Victoria, on or before the 20th day of April, 1893. All persons indebted to said Aaron Lewis are required to pay the amount due by them to the said assignees forthwith. After the first day of July, 1893, the trustees will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice. A meeting of the creditors will be held at the office of the undersigned on Friday, the 24th day of March, 1893, at 2.30 o'clock, p. m.

S. PERRY MILLS, 46 Langley street, Victoria, Solicitor for the Assignees. Dated the 17th day of March, 1893. mar 18-1m

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The names of the said Physicians can be had on application at the Victoria Transfer Stabbles

H. M. YATES, tf Secretary

Notice to Contractors.

Tenders endorsed "Board of Health Building" will be received at the office of the undersigned on or before Wednesday the 29th inst, at 4 p.m. for erecting a building for Board of Health purposes, on the Market grounds in this city. Plans and specifications can be seen and examined at the office of the City Engineer.

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By order WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, Victoria, B. C., March 24, 1893.

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The Daily Times.

THE SESSION.

From the appearance of the Government's present programme it is to be expected that the legislature will be sitting for some weeks to come. To-day the new real property bill is to be considered, and if the Government insists on its passage this measure alone will afford material for a very long discussion. Then the redistribution bill is yet to come, the Government, out of tender regard for the feelings of certain members, having postponed its introduction till the last moment. We are told, indeed, that this bill will not be brought down until the House resumes business after the Easter adjournment. Probably this delay is due to the premier's desire that the members shall not be unduly disquieted in mind during the recess, but the delay is nevertheless obnoxious to those who want to get through with the business of the session. It is remarkable that the session of the provincial legislature should be likely to last for weeks yet, while that of the Dominion Parliament is just about concluded. The two commenced on the same day. Again, the Manitoba legislature was called together some days after ours, and yet it prorogued about two weeks ago. It had then passed over 50 bills, some of them touching extremely important subjects. The cause of the greater celerity in Manitoba was undoubtedly the better state of preparation of the Government business there at the opening of the session. In view of the length to which the session has already been drawn, and in view of the other matters to be dealt with, it would surely be wise on the part of the Government to let the real property law alone for this year. It would not be right to enact legislation of this kind hastily and without due regard to the large interests involved. There are many well qualified to judge who believe that the proposed system would be far from an improvement on the present one, at least without material amendments. The Government's bill, we understand, is not even a copy of the Manitoba act on the same subject, as was represented, and there is no light of experience to come from that direction.

RUSSIA'S ACTION.

The San Francisco Examiner is despondent over the Behring sea case, owing to the new limits set down by Russia. It says: "The whole case of the United States has been weakened by the recent action of Russia in abandoning the claims to jurisdiction in the Behring. When the United States bought Alaska, Russia had claimed and exercised sovereign control over the waters of the Behring Sea from shore to shore, and had attempted, though unsuccessfully, to extend the control south of the Aleutian chain of islands. Within a week a Russian government commission has reported against this claim, and has decided that the territorial waters should be regarded as extending 30 miles from the islands and ten miles from the mainland. This foreshadows the defeat of the United States before the Arbitration Commission, as the attitude of Russia has been one of the strong points of the American case. The arbitrators are likely to regard the action of to-day as an interpretation of Russia's claims in the past." We sincerely trust the Examiner's predictions may not be falsified by the event. This same phase of the question has struck the Monetary Times, which thus comments upon it: "This compact with Russia fails to support the American pretence that the capture of seals of American origin, anywhere in the sea, is a violation of the national property of the United States. The fact that by the Russian agreement, sealing may be carried on by British vessels ten miles from the mainland and thirty from the breeding islands, settles the question of pelagic sealing, so far as Russia is concerned. It was plain from the first that the American contention could not be maintained. Russia is not disposed to make a present of anything properly hers, nor is she desirous to do anything that might weaken the American case before the arbitrators." To-day we reproduce a New York Herald dispatch from Paris, purporting to convey some details of the opposing cases not previously made known. There is nothing very new about it, however, as the arguments and counter-arguments are much the same as those offered in the famous exchange of diplomatic messages between Blaine and Salisbury. But this new summary of the United States case seems calculated to achieve one result, namely, the more complete demonstration of the absurdity of the claims advanced.

Ex-Mayor A. Macdonald of Winnipeg has written the following letter to a friend in Toronto giving the details of the important measure of tax reform which passed the Winnipeg council of 1892 by a vote of 8 to 2. He says:

"That portion of the revenue which is raised by taxation is to be collected from incomes, from land values, and from a 12 1-2 per cent. tax on the rental value of business property.

"The 12 1-2 per cent tax on the rental value of business property includes buildings as well as land, and is intended to be in lieu of a tax on stock and personal property. For instance, a store renting for $1,200 per annum pays $150 per annum, but is not taxed on its stock of goods at all. The amount collected will probably be about the same as was collected under the personalty tax, but it will fall much more equitably, and will be paid proportionately by lawyers, insurance and other agents, banks, etc., heretofore exempt.

"In addition to this special rental tax, business property pays the ordinary tax on land values along with other real estate in the city. This tax on land values is on the land only, regardless of what buildings or other improvements may be upon it.

"The council of 1892 has now nothing more to do with the matter, but our successors have to take it up, put it into proper legal form, pass it through the council, and ask the legislative assembly to pass the necessary legislation to carry it out, which no doubt the assembly will do.

"Although not quite what I would like, still I think this measure is a long step in the right direction. It reduces taxation on all buildings about one-half, taxation is taken off all stocks of goods, machinery, etc., and lawyers, insurance agents, loan companies, banks, etc., will have to pay in proportion to the position they occupy. They always opposed any tax reform. Now that they have to pay with the rest, we think their opposition to a further step in the right direction will not be so strong."

THE ROYAL COMMISSION.

To the Editor:—The Ross Bay suspect station was indeed a most extraordinary institution, and when Dr. Davie's lieutenant took charge, the suspect station expenses also received an additional impetus, by lavish expenditure, enough to make the ratepayers "jump stiff-legged," as no doubt it was intended to do, for on no other hypothesis can the absurdly extravagant conduct of the manager be accounted for. Dr. Hasell says in his evidence (newspaper report) "I went to Ross Bay suspect station as resident physician under direction of Dr. Davie," there to establish order out of chaos. "I laid out the station like a military camp, numbering the tents and lines." "The doctor here identified the plans of the station." So, sir! instead of the modest title of "resident physician," it should have been his High Mightiness the commander of Ross Bay camp! when he came, he soon routed the other doctors. This wonderful camp consisted of between 40 and 50 tents or houses, or a separate house or tent for little over every two persons, including guards, servants, men, women and and children, 113 souls in all. Thus, the commander says, I restored order out of chaos. The extent of the ground was about 12 acres. It was a beautiful camp by the sea! Protected by an army of guards and servants, 46 in all, to assist the great commander to rule over it in military style. There were as follows: Two chief constables at $3.50 per day; two cooks, $4; one cook, $3.50; one errand boy, 75 cents; and 24 guards, one cook, one clerk, one cremator, three bath-tenders, two scavengers, three laborers, three waiters, one child's nurse and one China washman, all at $2.50 per day each. Thus we see, this well regulated institution, as Dr. Davie calls it, 46 guards and servants attending and protecting like gallant knights of old, 44 women, girls and babies, and 23 men and boys—67 souls not employed for wages. What a magnificently glorious command, one can better imagine than describe the great autocrat captain, surrounded by his guards and attendants, giving his commands as to discipline and sending his orders for supplies, all of the best that the city could provide, and in his condescending generosity, he had promised and instructed the guards as well as all other inmates that they were to have new suits of clothes at the expense of the city, and had ordered and was receiving supplies of that kind when the unappreciative mayor and aldermen refused to pay for clothes unnecessarily destroyed by the cremator. But, sir! if the niggardly finance committee did not properly appreciate the deeds of the great man, at the expense of the taxpayers, there were those who did; for when all the suspects were released, and there was nothing more to protect. It was then the noble guards who had fed so sumptuously showed that they were the kind to appreciate a soft job, evinced their gratitude to the noble captain by what the Colonist called "a thoughtful compliment," for they invited him to a supper at Steitz's restaurant and presented him with an address, a silver-headed partridge cane, also a silver-mounted driving whip, to which the captain replied in suitable language "vide et crede" Colonist of that date.

RATEPAYER.

POLICE VISITS.

To the Editor: As the visits of the police to Victoria West appear to be about as rare as snow in summer, it would be interesting to know whether the "powers that be" intend to economise so as to make a remission to the taxpayer, or do they deem the inhabitants thereof so virtuous and honest as to render police protection unnecessary? As a matter of fact, I believe there is no place in the suburbs of Victoria where there is more rowdyism than there has been lately in a part of Victoria West. Thanking you in anticipation for the insertion of the above in your influential paper, I am, yours obediently,

PAX.

The Undaunted's Mishap.

Another case of running ashore has now to be probed by the British Admiralty. The Undaunted owes it to her bulkheads that she is not at the bottom in such well-known waters as those around Alexandria. Coming so soon after the disaster to the Howe in Ferrol harbor, the mishap to the Undaunted is rather gruesome to the placid official mind. Lord Charles Beresford, the captain, is one of the pets of the navy—a dashing man of nerve, brain and competency, who takes a pride in his profession. He recently did good service with his vessel in assisting an American merchantman out of a hard and fast fix in the Mediterranean. But the particular feather in his cap is his temerity in handling the Condor at the bombardment of Alexandria during Arbi's revolt. He pounded away with his little craft much too close to the batteries, and, although ordered to a safer distance, was complimented handsomely. Arbi's gunners were poor shots. Had some of the heavy shells struck the Condor its wings would have flapped no more. After all this it is sad to make for Malta waterlogged.

CANADIAN DISPATCHES.

The News of Eastern Canada in Short Paragraphs.

The widow of A. D. Cameron, of Ridgetown, N.S., has been committed for trial on a charge of causing her husband's death by poison.

Toronto and Montreal capitalists have purchased the huckleberry marsh in Welland county and propose to develop a peat bed said to exist there.

The prospects are that the opening of navigation will be considerably later than last year. The ice at present is very thick and shows little signs of weakening.

Information has been received by B. Wilkinson, of Owen Sound, that through the death of an uncle in England, he and his brother residing in Toronto become heirs to $200,000.

The New Brunswick supreme court has granted a new trial to Weldon and Randall, who were found guilty of conspiring to defraud the American Life Assurance concerns.

It has been decided to secure for the Toronto University a memorial of the late Sir Daniel Wilson, its late president. The memorial will take the form of a portrait to cost $1000.

President Van Horne of the C.P.R., denies that his line has acquired an independent entrance to New York City. He also states that the C.P.R. has not acquired the Duluth, South Shore and Atlantic Railway.

All the members of the family of G. A. Archambault, of Sherbrooke, Que., numbering seven, were poisoned by eating canned lobsters. Their condition was very alarming through the night, but they are now out of danger.

During a fracas over the ownership of some property, situated about eight miles east of Gananoque, John Fitzsimmons, aged 57, was shot and killed by Charles Shipman. Shipman, who has given himself up, claims the shooting was accidental.

McNicoll, general passenger agent of the C. P. R., states that a big passenger traffic is going to spring up in the transportation of Chinese from Vancouver to Halifax on their way to the West Indies. The Chinese are allowed into the West Indies and are commencing now to go forward in large numbers.

The Thames, as a result of the recent mild weather, commenced to rise on Friday afternoon, and for a while it was feared the village of London West would be flooded. Early Saturday morning, however, the river commenced to recede and all danger is now over. In the southern portion of London the houses are badly flooded, and residents can move about only by means of boats, the water having penetrated a breakwater in several places. A number of country road bridges are reported to be swept away and travel is constantly impeded.

Quite a sensation was created in the church of Notre Dame in Montreal by Rev. Father Colin, superior of St. Sulpice, ascending the pulpit before the sermon was delivered and denouncing a brochure entitled "Les Ruines Clericals," published lately, and which severely criticized the Roman Catholic hierarchy of the Dominion. The speaker declared that the book was heretical, as it denied the divinity and infallibility of the church and generally tried to cast discredit on its dogmas. Father Colin concluded: "As the church is our mother, this book which spits on her is an outrage on her children, an insult to us all, my brethren, an outrage on our faith, an outrage on our conscience, it is an evil for our souls' danger, for our eternal safety—you cannot, then, read this book."

At a late meeting of the Toronto Young Conservative association the executive rendered a decision in the Curry case. Curry, who is a member of the association, was alleged to belong also to the Continental club, an organization for the propagation of annexation doctrines, and the question had been raised whether he had not forfeited his right to membership in the Conservative association. The executive declared that they were asked to decide who might or might not be a supporter of the Conservative party adn declined to do so, as they did not consider the club the dictator of the Conservative party of Canada. The decision apparently gave some dissatisfaction, as a prominent member followed it up with moving a vote of want of confidence in the executive, but the matter was talked out to the time limit by friends of the committee and no action was taken thereon.

Mr. Carlisle's Favorite Recreation.

While Mr. Carlisle is a great brain worker and has capacity to get through a large amount of mental labor which is exhausting as well to the physical body, yet he is fond of pleasure and recreation. His chief recreation is a small game of draw poker—a sort of family game—at his residence, one or two evenings during the week, with a few invited friends. The ante is only five cents, and the limit but twenty-five cents. He always plays in bad luck; I think quits the game four times out of five a loser. The fives and deuces seem to have a great fondness for his hand. One rarely deals without giving him a deuce or a five, and he never fails to call the attention of the players to the fact with the exclamation, "Here's that deuce," or "Here's that five again; I get it every time." But all the same he enters into the spirit of the game with as much earnestness as he does in solving a great question in political economy, and from these poker party meetings he derives a great deal of keen enjoyment and much needed recreation.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

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SEND IN YOUR NOTICES.

The quarterly meeting of the Board of trade will be held on Monday, April 7th. Notices of new business should be sent to the secretary immediately.

FROM THE SOUTH.

The steamer Walla Walla arrived from San Francisco last evening with an unusually heavy load of freight, 232 tons of which was for Victoria. She brought up 100 passengers.

ANOTHER COURT.

Mr. George A. Grant has been authorized by the Independent Order of Foresters to organize a court in Victoria West. A number of gentlemen have signified their intention of joining and there are prospects of a court with a long list of members.

DOES IT WITH EASE.

Mr. W. J. McKeon has a two-year-old buck deer at his farm at Cedar Hill that passes in and out of a hole 10 inches high by 9 inches wide. He is rolling fat and just as large as the ordinary two-year-old, but he goes through the hole with as much ease as do the chickens

A GREAT DEVICE.

Frank Kinsey, a Chicago gentleman, is a guest at the Driard. He is here to meet the salmon canners and submit a device which he invented and patented for speedily opening cans. It cuts a piece out of the side of the tins all the way around in a simple, easy manner. It is understood he has already disposed of British Columbia rights for the invention.

CHINESE ILLEGALLY LANDED.

Two customs officers at Portland allowed 67 Chinese to slip ashore off the steamer Haytian Republic last Thursday night. They all had certificates alleged to be fraudulent. The Chinamen came down from Vanconver, where they left the last Empress. Inspector Coblentz caught the officers who committed the act and reported them to Washington. The case is being investigated.

SEHOME WILL RUN.

No definite instructions have been received by Captain Rathburn, port captain of the Union Pacific at Seattle, relative to the time the Sehome will be put on the Victoria run. He has received about 20 applications for each position on the boat and there is considerable speculation among captains as to who will be lucky enough to get the job of commanding the boat. The Sehome is now lying at West Seattle.

THE RATES RESTORED.

After cutting passenger rates all winter until they had reduced the second-class rate between Puget Sound and Chicago from the tariff figure of $51 to $30, the transcontinental roads have at last made up their minds to make some money out of the business, apparently in preparation for the rush to the World's Fair. An order has been issued to the agents of all lines to charge full tariff rates, beginning March 25th, and to cut off all commissions and dealings with brokers.

FOOTBALLERS HAVE FUN.

The James Bay Junior Football Club held a successful concert in Philharmonic Hall Saturday night. J. S. Floyd was encored for the number "Queen of My Heart." Mr. Perrin sang "Let Me Like a Soldier Fall," and was applauded. In response to an encore he gave a topical song in which public institutions were criticised. Mr. Fowkes much amused in his comic songs. There were sparring matches between Genn and Anderson; "Bob" Foster and Anderson and Smith and McCallum.

PUGET SOUND BOARD.

News was received here yesterday of the appointment of Governor McGraw, of Washington, of Messrs. Frank A. Bartlett, L. B. Hastings and R. C. Hill, of Port Townsend, as board of health for the district of Puget Sound. Thomas Jackman and Henry Landes are the retiring members of the old board, the state senate having refused to confirm their appointment, which was made by Acting Governor Laughton. R. C. Hill was a member of the old board, and has been re-appointed. These are the gentlemen with whom Victoria will have to deal in the matter of infectious diseases.

PALM SUNDAY OBSERVED.

Palm Sunday was duly observed at St. Andrew's Roman Catholic cathedral. The important services of the day opened at 10:30 when the palms were blessed and distributed by his lordship Bishop Lemmens. The ceremony was an impressive one. After that high mass was celebrated by Rev. Father Nicholaye. Owing to the length of the service the preaching of the sermon was deferred until the evening. It was delivered by the bishop, who spoke most eloquently. The subject was the Passion taken from the text of the day. The attendance at all of the services yesterday was large.

VICTORIANS ABROAD.

Jack Gilmore and Ed Smith, of Victoria, opium fiends and characters in whom the police have little confidence, were arrested last night by Detective John Roberts on the charge of being disorderly persons, says Sunday's Post-Intelligencer. The detective, when asked about the case, said that Gilmore and Smith came down out of their room in the Pacific House and went to Wa Chong's, on South Fifth street, where, he had reason to believe, they purchased some "dope." After returning to their room they "hit the pipe," if Detective Roberts has not lost his sense of smell. When arrested, however, they had gotten all traces of the paraphernalia out of sight.

FUTURE PUNISHMENT.

Dr. Campbell gave a lecture to a crowded church last evening on "The eternity of the punishment of the lost in the other world." He clearly showed that the eternity of God, and of the happiness of the saved, and the misery of the lost, stand or fall together. He declared that if the Bible does not teach the eternity of the misery of the lost, it does not teach the eternity of God, or the eternity of the happiness of the saved, for they are all expressed in the same terms in the Scriptures. This he substantiated by passages in the New Testament. He said there never was any doubt in the minds of men regarding the eternity of the happiness of the righteous, and why should there be any doubt regarding the misery of the unrighteous, seeing the same expressions are used to teach the one as to teach the other. At the time of the Savior the Jews believed in the eternity of the punishment of the lost, and if they were in error Christ would have corrected them, as he did in regard to many errors they held; but he did not, and confirmed it in the clearest and strongest possible language.

TO RESTORE PEACE.

Steamer Quadra Placed at the Disposal of the Provincial Government.

Supt. Hussey to go North to Restore Peace Among the Indians on Dolphin Island.

The Dominion government steamer Quadra has been placed at the disposal of the provincial government and will leave for the north in a few days with Supt. Hussey and a squad of special officers. The object of the trip is to endeavor to restore peace among the Kitkahtlah, O-wee-kay-no, Bella Coola and Bella Bella Indians.

When Mr. Chas. Todd, the Indian agent, arrived from the north he reported, among other things, that the Kitkahtlah Indian village on Dolphin Island was surrounded by a lot of O-wee-kay-no Indians and that a number of shots had been exchanged. This report was forwarded to Ottawa by the superintendent of Indian affairs, Mr. A. W. Vowell, and as an answer came a telegram stating that the Quadra would be placed at the disposal of the provincial government, whose duty it would be to maintain law and order among the Indians.

Supt. Hussey has not yet decided how many men he will take up, but he says it well be better to take up a fair-sized force in case there should be any trouble, which at present is not expected. Indian Agent Todd will also go north.

Nothing new in regard to the trouble was received from the north on the Cariboo and Fly, and this Mr. Todd considers an indication that the Kitkahtlas are remaining in their village on Dolphin island.

All the trouble arose out of the loss of a number of Indian otter hunters belonging to the tribes that are now looking for a chance to wreak their vengeance on the Kitkahtlahs. They claim that the otter hunters were massacred on Sorrow island by the Kitkahtlahs.

The Quadra is at present on a tour of the lighthouses. Upon her return she will leave for the north.

EMMANUEL CHURCH OPENED.

The New Edifice Dedicated Yesterday---Morning and Evening Services.

On account of the accident to the steamer North Pacific, Rev. M. L. Rugg was unable to be present and preach the opening sermon at the Emmanuel Baptist church yesterday morning. The pretty little edifice was opened under the brightest auspices, there being large congregations at both services. Rev. J. E. Coombes preached in the morning and in the evening the pulpit was occupied by Rev. H. B. McEwen, the pastor. The musical portion of the services was very appropriate and was well rendered by the choir.

The interior of the new church is prettily ornamented and the arrangements with a view of convenience are complete. It is furnished with opera chairs arranged in a semi-circle on the ground floor and in the gallery. The finishings are of polished oak

Rev. Mr. Rugg is expected over on April 9th to preach.

DIVISIONAL COURT.

The Divisional Court, consisting of the Chief Justice and Crease, Walkem and Drake, J. J., sat to-day to hear an appeal from certain orders made by his honor Judge Bole in the garnishing case of Lehman vs. Wilkinson. Mr. Justice McCreight made an order that the defendant pay before the 21st of February the sum of $1,380, upon payment of which he was to get certain title deeds deposited with the plaintiff. This order was disobeyed and an application to Judge Bole, local judge of the Supreme Court, for the purpose of enforcing the decree was dismissed with costs owing to a slight informality in the summons, and it was directed that the costs be a charge on the lands referred to in the title deeds. Mr. Clinton appealed from the latter part of the order and the court to-day allowed the appeal with costs tnd directed the order to be amended.

ALASKA TOURIST TRAVEL.

The Northern Pacific Steamship Co. are not going to put steamers on the Alaska route this season, although it is expected that there will be a large tourist business. Mr. Oakes said the prospects for a large tourist business would not have influenced the company in putting on a boat at so late a date as at present. Already nearly all the accommodations for the entire season have been engaged for the trips to be made by the Queen and the City of Topeka, each of which will make a round trip a month. In fact, all the accommodations on these boats have been engaged for the months of July and August, and hundreds more requisitions are looked for.

THE WORK CONTINUES.

Vancouverites appreciate a good thing and by their investments prove that they have faith and confidence in the prosperity of Kaslo. Saturday there were 46 lots sold in Vancouver and four in Victoria of the North Kaslo property. The head office of this property is at 104 Yates street, and those who wish to buy better do so at once, as it is going very fast.

MESSAGES FROM THE DEAD.

Mrs. C. Cornelius, of Boston, holds a test seance Tuesday evening, March 28th, at Philharmonic Hall. Marvellous manifestations of spirit power. Sceptics especially invited. Fine music. Admission 25 cents.

HIS HONOR JUDGE BOLE.

Mr. Bole, the County Court judge for New Westminster, must henceforth be referred to coram judice as His Honor Judge Bole, or Mr. Bole, L. J. S. C., and not as Mr. Justice or His Lordship Mr. Bole, as has been the custom.

SHORT LOCALS.

Gleanings of City and Provincial News in a Condensed Form.

—Natural History Society annual meeting to-night.

—The Hebrew feast of the Passover begins on April 1st.

—A bazaar will open the new school at Emmanuel church.

—The Wanderers Cycling Club will have a run on Friday evening.

—The Victoria Lacrosse Club will shortly hold a smoking concert.

—There will be a concert in Victoria West hall on Tuesday evening, April 4th.

—Lecture in the Metropolitan Methodist church on Tuesday evening on "Slum Life."

—Congregational social St. Andrew's Presbyterian church school room on Tuesday evening.

—Lecture by Dr. Campbell this evening in aid of the First Presbyterian church Literary Association.

—Rev. George H. Morden preached a special service to Good Templars at Victoria West Methodist church last night.

—The Samaritan Home ball will be held Tuesday April 4th. Under the patronage of Lieutenant-Governor Dewdney.

—Parlor social in aid of James Bay Methodist church on Tuesday evening at the residence of Mrs. Tufts, 32 Quebec street.

—Thomas Roberts, charged with forging the name of Frank Leonard and with stealing $150 belonging to Leonard has elected trial by jury.

—The Mount Baker hotel will be under the management of J. A. Virtue this season. Mr. Virtue is a well known hotel manager.

—Concert, Metropolitan Methodist church on Good Friday evening. Soloists will be Misses Lamey, O'Neill, Honour, and Burkholder, and Messrs. Mitchell, Parfitt and Cline.

—Two celestials were found dead this morning. One in a shack on Government street, the other in a shack on Cormorant street. The cause of death has not yet been ascertained.

—Health Officer Duncan, M.D., says that he did not authorize the item to the effect that Drs. Morrison and Hannington were assisting him in vaccinating the Chinese. What they are doing he says is on their own responsibility.

—In the police court Frank Giles, drunk, was fined $5. Annie, klootchman, drunk, taxed similar sum. J. A. Graham, charged with trading without a license, was discharged. The charge of larceny against Leonard Dunbalk was further adjourned. Alexander Gayne, drunk, did not appear. Bail forfeited.

FROM A NEW POINT OF VIEW.

In the March number of "Free Life," edited by Auberon Herbert, M.P., appears the following criticism on the new home rule bill: "Mr. Gladstone's home rule bill is an example of the complete vitiation of the minds of our public men by the idea of majority rule. To approach the Irish problem justly, it is necessary to grasp firmly two great truths, both of which lie outside the mental vision not only of Mr. Gladstone, but, indeed, of any other member of the House. The first is that we should settle this question apart from English interests. We have no right to assume that our English interest requires Imperial supremacy, and therefore that such supremacy is to be insisted upon or secured. Irish interest must decide the Irish position; just as English interest must decide the English position. On this matter Mr. Gladstone's vision is in a cloud, and he does not face the true equity of the matter. The second truth is: that the different parts of Ireland and the individual in Ireland must not be sacrificed to the ruling body that he is engineering. On this point again his whole vision is clouded, and as regards it he is completely morally careless. Recognizing the fact that,—things being as they are, men being everywhere demoralized by majority and minority rule—you cannot in a moment create for Ireland an ideal state of liberty, Mr. Gladstone might still have made an honest attempt to give the protection against majority rule that is so strongly needed. Had he divided Ireland into four provinces, and given to each province, through its elected body, the power of assenting or dissenting, as regards itself, from any legislation passed by the central Irish assembly, he would have forced upon that central body a moderation and tolerance which will now be altogether wanting. Each such provincial body would have been a breakwater against rash and unfair acts passed by the central body, and afforded a protection like that enjoyed by the separate states in the United States as against the Federal government."

THIS EVENING'S CONCERT.

This evening in Emmanuel Baptist Church, Spring Ridge, a very interesting concert will be given in aid of the church fund. The following is the programme, and it speaks for itself:

Anthem—"Praise Ye the Lord"...Richards
Solo.....
Mr. G. Watson.
Violin selection—"Heimroch"....Jungman
Master F. Richardson.
Solo—"The Children's Home".....Cowen
Mrs. Temple.
Solo—"Ora Pro Nobis".....Piccolimini
Mr. E. White.
Organ solo—March from "Eli"....M. Costa
Mr. G. J. Burnett.
Solo—"Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah"
Mrs. A. J. Clyde.
Anthem—"The Lord is My Shepherd"
PART II.
Solo—"The Plains of Peace".....Barnard
Mr. H. Kent.
Duet.....
Miss Campbell and Mr. Watson.
Solo—"Eternal Rest".....Piccolimini
Mr. J. G. Brown.
Violin selection—"Souvenir de Bellini"
Mr. E. Wolff, L. C. M.
Solo—"That Sweet Story of Old"..Marzials
Miss O'Neil.
Guitar selection—"Theme and Var" Ferrer
Mr. Geddes.
Solo—"The Better Land".....Cowen
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Organ solo—March Medley.....
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In the Speedy Trial Court, before Justice Crease, Charles Wilson, alias Brown, alias Peterson, was sentenced to four years hard labor for horse stealing. Wilson pleaded guilty. He was sentenced on two counts, stealing horses from William Beaumont and W. J. Clarke.

—North Kaslo City is no outside acreage or addition to Kaslo City as reported, but is the best inside property on the waterfront now on the market. See plans at 104 Yates street before purchasing outside acreage.

SAVING IT FOR MANURE.

Wong Loy has been summoned to the police court. Loy has a ranch at the corner of Seventh street and King's road and has a dead horse upon the ranch. The horse has been on the ranch in a decomposed state for the past two months. Loy says that he is saving it for manure.

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NOTICE.

Is hereby given that tenders for the construction and equipment of the Victoria and Sidney Railway Company, complete in all respects, will be received by the Victoria and Sidney Railway Company up to noon of April 16th, 1893, at the office of the Company, Government street, Victoria, B. C.

Plans, specifications, conditions of tender, and all details to be had at the Company's office.

The company reserve the right to reject any or all tenders.

P. C. DUNLEVY, President.
ROBERT IRVING, Secretary.
Victoria and Sidney Railway Company.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

As complaints have been made by residents of the higher levels that they are unable to obtain water, for the reason that it is being allowed to run to waste on the lower levels, the attention of all those sow a water is called to the provisions of the "Water Works Prohibition By-Law," under which parties gailty of improperly wasting water are liable on conviction to a penalty of $100.

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DAY and NIGHT SCHOOLS.

INTERIOR INTELLIGENCE.

New Manager for the Kamloops Coal Company—Moderation in the Weather.

News From Osoyoos—Okanagan Lake Nearly Free of Ice —Activity at Vernon.

(Inland Sentinel.)

S. Tingley, manager of the B. C. Express, is making improvements on his Kamloops residence, which will convert it into a desirable and convenient location for business, soon to be occupied for that purpose.

On Wednesday evening last, Miss Dolly McLean, eldest daughter of Alexander McLean, of Kamloops, was married to Mr. John Macleod, of Donald, B. C. Miss May McLean acting as bridesmaid, and Mr. M. J. McIver supporting the groom.

D. R. Rease, formerly of the Pennsylvania collieries, and recently superintendent of the collieries at Canmore and Anthracite, left Wednesday morning for the North Thompson Coal mines to superintend work there for the Kamloops Coal Co., Ltd.

Messrs. A. Abrahamson, J. O. Piper, A. H. Harrison, John Stauber, James Bisset and Louis Rodrick left Revelstoke last week Tuesday for Trout Lake City. Messrs. Piper and Harrison are ranching on lands they recently took up on the shores of Trout Lake. Mr. Abrahamson, who has interests in several good mines close to Trout Lake, has been appointed foreman on the work for the Government bridge across the Lardeau creek near its confluence with Trout Lake. Eight men will be employed, and the work is to be commenced forthwith.

(Vernon News.)

A bridge is about complete across the Similkameen at Oro.

Some rich strikes have been made by our neighbors near Oro, about five miles below Kruger's.

Simmons Bros. have bought out Mr. J. D. Cameron's livery stock and leased the premises.

Mr. P. J. Gooding, late manager for Lequime Bros., intends running a sawmill on Mission creek.

A sawmill with a capacity of 5,000 feet per day is running every day at Oro, with lumber in good demand.

A great many wild horses are to be seen along the trail from Penticton to Osoyoos, having succumbed to the unusual winter.

A fine new business block is shortly to be erected by Martin Bros. on the southwest corner of Brainard avenue and Seventh street.

The Messrs. Lequime are making all arrangements for the new mill which they are putting in at Boundary Creek. Mr. Powers will manage it for them.

Osoyoos lake is still frozen over, with 22 inches of ice; teams continually crossing. Six inches of snow at Osoyoos, 24 inches ditto at Fairview, and hardest winter since '67.

D. C. Corbin, of the Spokane & Northern, has expressed his intention of pushing his road from Marcus to Cascade City this season, and extending to Osoyoos lake in 1894.

Kettle river stockmen are reduced to feeding brush and scenery and have decided to go into vegetables, potatoes, giving 650 bushels to the acre, being a far more profitable investment.

The recent warm weather has weakened the ice on Okanagan lake a great deal, and all that is needed now is a slight breeze to ruffle the usual calm surface of the lake in order to break it all up.

The deep snow on Rock creek divide will necessitate some considerable delay yet before the government can make a satisfactory reconnaisance of the prospective route for the wagon road from Osoyoos to Kettle river.

Last week a mountain lion eight feet long was killed on Mission creek by an old trapper named Moore. This is the first one that has been known in that part of the district. The Similkameen and Kettle river districts harbor the most of these animals that are to be found in British Columbia.

The mining machinery for the Strathcyre Mining Co. at Camp Fairview was procured from the Union Iron Works of San Francisco, instead of Chicago, as before mentioned. The mill is a ten-stamp mill of the most improved pattern and will be put in position as soon as it can be taken down the lake. When it has worked during the coming season and the proprietors are satisfied with the result, the present mill will only be a small part of the works which will be put in to treat the ore of these camps.

MEDICAL ETIQUETTE.

A Striking Instance of the Extreme to Which it is Carried.

Within the present week in this city, says the Boston Advertiser, occurred an incident that is typical of the extreme to which professional etiquette may be carried. A patient lay ill of a raging fever, whose progress, apparently, had not been prevented or mitigated by the remedies prescribed by the doctor "in charge" of the case. That doctor was not entirely satisfactory to the patient, and was even distasteful to he latter, but had been called in merely because he happened to be near at hand. The sick man protested strongly against the continuance of seemingly useless treatment and insisted that the family physician should be called. In a spirit of courtesy the attending physician was told of the facts and the wish of the patient. The family doctor was summoned and the two doctors had a private consultation, and as a result the attending physician announced that he would remain in charge, despite the knowledge that his every visit so irritated and exasperated the patient as to increase the fever of the helpless but thoroughly indignant victim. The family then made an almost piteous appeal to the family physician to visit the patient, whose condition was such as to occasion great alarm and the most distressing fears, but the reply was made that no reputable physician in Massachusetts would so imperil his standing under the rules which govern physicians as to attend a patient so long as the "attending physician" refused his consent.

The facts in the case are indisputable, and are given from personal knowledge. The consideration that under the circumstances the very life of the patient might be endangered made no impression upon the two doctors, who looked only to the "etiquette" of their profession. If the medical practitioners stated the rule correctly, one doctor in this commonwealth may have the conceded right to prohibit the attendance of another doctor on a patient, no matter what the wishes or state of the sick man may be, and as a result of an exaggerated deference to this "etiquette" it is possible to suppose that a patient, constantly irritated and excited under a condition that demands rest and quiet, may die, but the senseless etiquette must have been observed. It may be true that the case cited is an unusual one, and it can readily be conceded that there are many humane doctors who would not allow an empty form of etiquette to stand in the way under such circumstances. Yet it still remains to be said that if any custom or rule exists to justify such a proceeding, as was so rigidly observed in the instance noted, that rule or custom ought to be abolished. Many eminent members of the medical profession have been arguing in favor of a law to prohibit "quacks" from practicing in this state. Arguments of a cogent nature have been brought forward to support the proposition. Yet it remains to be said in that connection that if the commonwealth were to allow "regular" practitioners to pursue business, and if any rule existed to deprive a family of the right to employ whatever practitioner it pleased, the change would not be for the better. Indeed, if and such rule or practice now exists among physicians of the existing schools, it is to be feared that the members of that profession already have more power than they should have. Such an arrangement merely represents a huge "trust" or "pool" and it is in the nature of an imposition on the public. In the case cited both doctors seem equally to blame—one for imperiling the health of a patient to serve personal ends, and the other for allowing a mere rule, custom or understanding to stand in the way of duty to the sick.

STATUE OF ZEBULON PIKE.

The Discoverer of Colorado's Famous Peak Commemorated in Bronze

Gen. Zebulon M. Pike, the discoverer of Pike's peak, is to have a statue, says the New York Advertiser. Col. J. B. Wheeler, the Colorado millionaire, has commissioned James E. Kelly, the sculptor, whose "Sheridan Ride" created a sensation several years ago, to make a bronze statue of Gen. Pike. The statue, which is seven feet high, will be erected in the public park at Manitou Springs, at the base of Pike's peak. It represents the discoverer standing on a natural bowlder, with telescope in hand and rifle slung over shoulder, and wearing the costume described by himself in his mountain records. The statue is Col. Wheeler's gift to the city of Manitou. Gen. Pike was born in New Jersey. He served with distinction in the revolutionary war and the war of 1812. He met untimely death at the age of 34 by the explosion of an English magazine, pending a skirmish with the British at York, Canada. A brave officer and a daring, venturesome explorer, he was astronomer, surveyor, commanding officer, clerk, spy, guide and hunter of the government expedition sent out in 1805 and 1806 to explore the Louisiana territory, then a Spanish possession, and seek the source of the Mississippi and other western rivers. At 2 o'clock on the afternoon of Nov. 15, 1806, he discovered a small blue cloud, which, viewed by a spy-glass he perceived to be a mountain, and half an hour later the Colorado range was visible and his disheartened followers gave three cheers. Despite snow and fatigue Gen. Pike, who knew neither fear nor discouragement, pushed on fifteen miles until he came to the base of the mountain that bears his name, and where the proposed statue will be erected. Gen. Pike was the first to bring back to the east the report of the existence of gold in the western country. Despite late historians, who assert that previous to 1843 there was no evidence of settlers in Colorado, Mexicans early suspected gold and made attempts to mine in the Rocky mountain range. Such, at least, was Gen. Pike's conviction, for while a prisoner in New Mexico he met an American, James Pursely of Bairdstown, Ky., who showed him a lump of gold brought by himself from South Park, where the Mexicans and Spaniards had struck shafts. Gen. Pike's widow lived for many years on the Ohio river near Cincinnati. His only daughter married Symmes Harrison, son of "Old Tippecanoe," grandfather of President Harrison.

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Railway Construction.

The Railway Age and Northwestern Railroader has issued a statement showing the total construction of railroads for the past 30 years and the prospects for 1893. At the end of 1862, it says, the United States had 32,120 miles of railways. In the next 10 years it was more than doubled and reached a total of 66,171 miles at the end of 1872, although the civil war had raged meantime. During the 10 years ended 1882, there were 47,754 miles added, and in the next decade no less than 60,067 miles were built, bringing the total mileage at the close of 1892 up to about 174,780. The yearly average for the 10 years was over 6000 miles, and although there has been a considerable falling off in construction during the past few years, still in the dull year of 1892 there were 4175 miles of new road built on 300 lines. Tangible facts go to prove that while this high rate of construction is not likely to continue, there is a vast amount of building yet to be done. The total number of lines now under construction, surveyed or projected, is 425, and the mileage 27,765. Pennsylvania leads in the number of lines, having 32 with 786 miles, while Texas leads in mileage with 2189. California leads in the Pacific states with 11 lines and 937 miles. Oregon is second with seven lines and 703 miles. Idaho has two lines with 110 miles; Montana, four lines with 396 miles; Nevada, one line with four miles; Washington, 12 lines with 650 miles; Wyoming, two lines with 750 miles.

Besides there are 164 unfinished lines on which work was done in 1892, or is now in progress. The total new mileage is 4804.

The lines in Oregon upon which work will be done are: Albany and Astoria, surveyed in 1891, 163 miles; Astoria and Eastern, 120 miles; Columbia River and Astoria, surveyed, 60 miles; Coos Bay, Roseburg and Eastern, under construction, 70 miles; Portland and Puget Sound, 185 miles; Rogue River Valley, 25 miles; Siuslaw and Eastern, 80 miles; total, 703.

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Empress of China..	May 3, "	May 15, "
Empress of India ..	May 24, "	June 5, "
Empress of Japan..	June 14, "	June 26, "
Empress of China..	July 5, "	July 17, "
Empress of India ..	July 26, "	Aug. 7, "
Empress of Japan..	Aug. 16, "	Aug. 28, "
Empress of China..	Sept. 6, "	Sept. 18, "
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	5.53	10.50	30	KOKSILAH	9.17	3.44	
	5.44	10.40	33	McPHERSON'S	9.25	3.54	
	5.33	10.27	37	SHAWNIGAN LAKE	9.36	4.04	
	5.23	10.17	41	COBBLE HILL	9.46	4.14	
	5.13	10.07	45	SUMMIT SIDING	9.56	4.24	
	4.54	9.57	50	GOLDSTREAM	10.07	4.39	
	4.38	9.35	56	SHAWNIGAN	10.22	4.54	
	4.23	9.15	61	CHEMAINUS	10.43	5.16	
	3.53	8.56	68	OYSTER BAY SIDING	11.00	5.33	
	3.44	8.34	73	NANAIMO	11.30	6.14	
	2.55	8.10	79	WELLINGTON	Ar. 12.15 P M	Ar. 6.29	

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	2.44	8.23	7	COLWOOD	12.10	6.44	
	3.09	8.44	13	LANGFORD	11.50 A M	6.30	
	3.38	9.14	20	GOLDSTREAM	11.30	6.14	
	4.04	9.35	26	SHAWNIGAN	11.05	5.53	
	4.14	9.57	31	CHEMAINUS	10.50	5.44	
	4.30	10.07	37	OYSTER BAY SIDING	10.40	5.33	
	4.54	10.22	42	NANAIMO	10.27	5.23	
	5.16	10.43	48	WELLINGTON	10.17	5.13	
	5.33	11.00	53	SUMMIT SIDING	10.07	4.54	
	6.14	11.30	60	COBBLE HILL	9.56	4.38	
	6.29	Ar. 12.15 P M	66	MILL BAY	9.46	4.23	
			73	DUNCANS	9.36	4.13	
			77	KOKSILAH	9.25	4.03	
			80	McPHERSON'S	9.17	3.53	
			84	SHAWNIGAN LAKE	9.07	3.44	
			88	COBBLE HILL	8.56	3.33	
			92	SUMMIT SIDING	8.46	3.23	
			97	GOLDSTREAM	8.35	3.13	
			103	SHAWNIGAN	8.20	2.58	
			108	CHEMAINUS	8.05	2.43	
			114	OYSTER BAY SIDING	7.48	2.30	
			119	NANAIMO	7.30	2.10	
			125	WELLINGTON	Ar. 7.00 A M	Ar. 1.45 P M	

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1 30 pm	Lv	72	Pt. Townsend	33	Lv	11 45 pm	
4 30 pm	Ar	110	...Victoria†...	M	Lv	8 30 pm	

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12 15 am	Lv	72	Pt. Townsend.	55	Lv	11 30 am	
2 45 am	Lv	101	..Anacortes..	21	Lv	9 15 am	
7 45 am	Ar	123	..Fairhaven..	3	Lv	8 00 am	
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12 30 am	Lv	39	.Port Madison	47	Lv	2 10 pm	
	Lv	45	..Kingston...	41	Lv		
3 00 am	Lv	49	.Port Gamble.	21	Lv	11 00 am	
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The Government's Intentions Stated in Regard to the B. C. Station.

A Passage-at-Arms Between Mr. Mulock and Minister Ouimet—Smallpox Claims.

(Correspondence of the Times.)

Ottawa, March 18.—While the Irishmen of the city were around the festive board last evening at the Russell house, a small contingent of the members of parliament were in their seats in the house discussing the question of quarantine on a vote in the supplementary estimates. Mr. Mulock was taking the government to task for not attending to the necessary quarantine improvements to prevent the dreaded scourge visiting Canada next season. Mr. Ouimet was assuring Mr. Mulock that the government had done everything that it was possible to do in the way of precautions. To this Mr. Mulock replied that the government had not carried out all the suggestions of the 65 medical men who met in Ottawa last year. It was to this conference I referred in a recent letter. There is no doubt that was the meeting which influenced the government's action. Dr. Milne was the British Columbia representative at that meeting. I cut the report of the discussion in the house from the Hansard:

Mr. Ouimet—I protest against the hon. gentleman's strictures. We have done everything that has been recommended by those medical authorities, with the exception of the wharf. I say the wharf is not a necessity, and the hon gentleman is very unfair.

Mr. Mulock—In what way?

Mr. Ouimet—In trying to make the public believe that we are not doing our duty. The hon. gentleman at once jumps to the conclusion that we are sneering at the medical authorities. The hon. gentleman is not a medical authority. We have followed every recommendation which those medical authorities have made to us, and I say it is unfair for the hon. gentleman to say otherwise. I will say more. He would be very glad if cholera was to come into the country so as to be able to say that he had been right.

Mr. MulockThat is about on a par with all the hon. gentleman's character. I say he is unworthy of his position as a member of this house, I say he is unworthy of his position as a member of this government—it is a cowardly, an ungentlemanly, a ruffianly statement.

Mr. Ouimet—What is it that is cowardly? A coward sits in your chair—he does not sit here.

Mr. Charlton—I think the minister in attributing to an hon. gentleman a desire to see cholera in this country, in order that he might be able to say that the government had not done their duty, made an assertion unworthy of the hon. gentleman. He had better withdraw the remark.

Mr. Prior—I desire to say, Mr. Chairman—

Mr. Charlton—This is a very unfortunate charge that has been made by the minister of public works, and it should be withdrawn.

Mr. Ouimet—I have not said one word that was not parliamentary.

Mr. Charlton—The hon. gentleman is in error there. When a minister of the crown accuses a member of the house with desiring to have disease brought into the country to sweep away many thousands of people, there is not the slightest doubt he has transgressed the limits of parliamentary propriety.

Mr. Foster—What was the first transgression? I think the hon. gentleman transgressed.

Sir Richard Cartwright—I do not think he said anything that would warrant such a charge as the minister was pleased to throw across the floor. I should be very glad to have it established that he did.

Mr. Mulock—I asserted, and I assert again, that the minister of public works, in disregarding the advice of those experts, has assumed one of the gravest responsibilities that a minister of the crown can assume. I repeat that charge.

Mr. Ouimet—I again protest that we have not disregarded one recommendation of the medical authorities, with the exception of the building of a wharf at Grosse Isle. This must go to the country, although not for myself—what do I care? I do not care any more to have a seat here just now than to remain with the hon. gentleman, to live with him. I say it is unfair to the government, and still more unfair to the country, to let people believe we have not done all that could be done in order to shelter or protect the country against cholera.

Mr. Prior—Before this vote is carried I should like to ask the minister of finance if I understood him correctly in saying that a medical inspector would be appointed to take charge of all the medical officers of the Dominion?

Mr. Foster—A quarantine officer.

Mr. Prior—Because I think it is a very serious matter, especially on the Pacific coast. I believe there is much danger, if not more, of cholera coming from the Orient than there is of coming from Europe. At the present time there are five or six steam vessels running regularly between China and Japan and British Columbia, and on several occasions lately they have brought small-pox to our port. Last year the cities of Victoria, Vancouver and Seattle were all visited with the scourge of small-pox, and there is no doubt it was brought on the steamers running from China and Japan. I have been told during my visits to the departments, especially the departments of agriculture and public works, that the government are about to put up first-class quarantine buildings at Williams Head, just outside the limits of Victoria, in the Straits of San Juan de Fuca, where all ocean vessels will have to pass. I am very glad to hear that statement, and I hope the government will erect first-class buildings, which will give accommodation not only to the poor unfortunates who may be stricken down either with smallpox or cholera, but also that they will provide proper buildings for suspects who have been taken off ships and who have been in contact with those invalids, and that they will also receive proper treatment in proper buildings at the hands of medical practitioners. I am sorry to say that this has not been the case heretofore, and although the Government are going to do what is right now, for which everybody will be thankful, still I believe they have been very lax in the past, and Victoria especially has suffered at their hands. I have no doubt that smallpox in the city has cost the municipal authorities $75,000 at least, besides the great loss caused to all the merchants and business men in the city. That is attributable, I may say, to the neglect of this Government in not giving us a proper quarantine station before now. The representatives of the province have, for the last 18 months, been pressing on the government the necessity of providing a proper quarantine station, but up to the present time we have not been able to induce them to act. They have now, I believe, made up their minds that the matter is serious, because they are threatened with cholera.

Then the colonel went on to ask the Minister of Public Works to state publicly whether he had given orders for a first-class wharf being built.

To this Mr. Ouimet replied that the Government had given an order to build a first-class quarantine station at William Head and that $97,000 was going to be spent for that purpose. Contracts were let for the steam disinfectors, and tenders were called for the buildings for the 23rd of the present month. Everything would be done to place the station in good order and perfect the quarantine.

Mr. Prior asked if the Government had not received a claim from the city of Victoria for losses sustained last year, owing to the Government neglecting to have proper quarantine facilities to prevent the smallpox coming into the city.

Mr. Foster could not answer definitely, but he thought there was such a claim.

This ended the matter as far as British Columbia was concerned.

SLABTOWN.

WORLD'S FAIR EXPECTATIONS

Foreign Visitors Counted on For No. Less Than $200,000,000.

Boston Transcript: The total amount of money which foreign visitors to the World's Columbian Exposition will spend in the United States will doubtless be great, but hardly as great as some enthusiastic calculators imagine. One optimist, not long since, placed the amount to be brought to this country by the Fair at $300,000,000, in addition to $100,000,000 to be spent by Americans who would remain at home this summer instead of going abroad.

Both these estimates seem to us to be excessively high and based upon incorrect assumptions. It is not likely that the average visitor to Chicago, either American or foreign, will spend over $100 in that city, and relatively few foreigners will spend over $200 elsewhere in the country. We also doubt if over 500,000 foreigners will be brought to the United States by the Fair alone; that is to say, 500,000 who would not come here were it not for the Fair. At $300 apiece this would give a result of $150,000,000 as the amount expended in this country by foreigners brought here by the Exposition. Some, it is true, after coming a great distance, will probably spend several weeks here, but, on the other hand, large numbers will come under the guidance of tourist agencies, etc., or in clubs. The latter plan is already being adopted to some extent, particularly in England. These will spend little money in the United States. As to the influence of another cholera outbreak, while it would, of course, diminish travel all the world over, it would tend to send what travel there was to this continent, if we keep free from the epidemic as last year.

As for the amount that Americans who would otherwise have gone abroad will spend, a very thoughtless error seems to have been made by the calculators. They have adopted the apparently reliable estimate made some years ago, that $150,000,000 was annually left abroad by our globe-trotting countrymen, and by adding $50,000,000 as in the increase in late years, have assumed that $100,000,000 will be retained in the United States owing to the reduction during the Columbian year in the annual exodus to Europe. But herein lies a serious error. It seems to be forgotten that both the Exposition visit and the European trip may be accomplished with ease in the same year. Comparatively few of the travelling Americans will spend a month or even two weeks in Chicago during the Fair, and their European outing will thus not be seriously interfered with. We doubt if there will be a reduction of more than 10 per cent in the number of Americans who annually go abroad.

On the whole we think that $200,000,000 is a much more reasonable estimate of the amount of cash which will be brought to or retained in this country owing to the Exposition than double that amount, which enthusiasts claim. Two hundred millions of dollars, however, in hard cash will be a great addition to our ready wealth, and, even omitting the untold indirect additions which will follow, it will make the Exposition assuredly a paying investment.

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The down stroke of the wing is rapid and resisting, the up stroke slower. There results a quick lift, and as the upper surface is very smooth and gently arched, the up stroke meets with less resistance. From the effect of the down stroke results the possibility of rising—the lifting power. A drawing of a bent bow shows the wing position with the action suspended during flight. As the wing surface from the beginning to the end of the stroke makes a shovel-shaped or scooping movement, scooping the air from above forward, and striking it downward and backward, by which the wing surfaces describe a partial twist on the long axis—incidental with part of the screw-stroke—there results a combination of two operations, a raising and a forward pushing movement, which constitute together the operation of one flight: (1) The so-called horizontal flight is not actually in a straight line, but is undulating. Supposing the bird rises from the ground, he holds his body obliquely and rises in an oblong course by rapid strokes of the wing. On reaching a desired height he brings his body to the horizontal direction by means of his steering appliances, and pursues his horizontal course, accelerated by the influence of gravitation. The bird is continuously subject to this force, which it overcomes with every stroke of the wing, and the quicker the operation and more rapidly the bird shoots forward. For an intelligent horizontal flight the steering appliances of the bird are, however, of first class importance. These are the head, the neck and the tail, and if the last is wanting, the outstretched legs. These together balance the body for horizontal flight. (2) Linear horizontal sailing without beating of the wings only the continuous motion following powerful wing strokes which give the body a forward impulse, in which it is supported by the stiff, outstretched wings gliding over the volume of air which presses upward against it. The direction of sailing is only apparently horizontal, and persists only so long as the force of propulsion overcomes the attraction of gravitation. The bird must then renew his stroke or he will glide gradually downward. If a bird floats a considerable distance without beating his wings or descending, it is in consequence of a resisting current. From such simple principles is gradually being worked out the problem of air navigation. A dirigible flying machine, it is thought by many scientists, can be constructed, provided, of course, there be an intelligent application of the flight generating force of rationally constructed pressure surface.—N.Y. Ledger.

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The above cut illustrates a quick method of raising spring chicken, which is cheaper than the common, old-fashioned plan. It might be found economical by Dr. Milne and other enthusiastic poultry fanciers.

NEWS FROM UNION.

Union, March 24.—Word has been received here that Joseph Hunter and Andrew Haslam are going to run for the Dominion House. Although Mr. Haslam will poll a respectable vote in Comox district, Mr. Hunter is sure to get a majority here. Union will give him a large majority, and his securing a large appropriation in the House for the district will help him in his Dominion election.

On March 18th, by the Rev. J. H. Higgins, B.A., Peter John Muer, of this place, was married to Miss Mary H. Jacobs, of Buffalo, N.Y.

Mrs. G. W. Clinton has returned from a visit to Nanaimo. Mrs. Little had to stay below because of the illness of her baby.

A sailor of the San Mateo was sentenced by Justice Drabble, of Comox, to three months imprisonment in Nanaimo for refusing duty.

Rev. J. X. Willemar returned last week from Chilliwhack.

Wm. Cheney, real estate dealer in Comox, has fallen heir to $10,000.

Captain Butler, of the Joan, paid Union a flying visit on Thursday.

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Matters of Interest Going Forward in the Sporting World Here and Elsewhere.

CRICKET

The United Banks of Victoria cricket team has been organized, with Mr. Applegarth, captain; Mr. Goffin, vice-captain, and Mr. Bullen secretary-treasurer. Colors of the club are olive green and gold.

The Albion cricket club has elected H. J. Marvin captain and A. Pauline vice-captain. First match on Good Friday.

FOOTBALL.

Victoria team defeted the Somenos team at Rugby football at Beacon Hill park on Saturday afternoon. Score, eight points to nothing. McCulloch secured the first two tries for Victoria; Haines the last two.

The Albions defeated the Victorias. Score, five to nothing.

The Victoria Juniors defeated all comers. Score, two goals and four tries to one goal from the field.

THE OAR.

OXFORD NOT COMING.

London, March 25.—A correspondent of the Westminster Gazette declares that the proposition to send a football eleven and rowing eight to Chicago this year has fallen through.

THE RING

THE INVINCIBLE FITZSIMMONS.

Chicago, March 25.—A crowd of 8,900 persons assembled at the Second Regiment armory this evening, the occasion being the first public appearance of Bob Fitzsimmons since his famous fight at New Orleans. The first contest of the evening was with Sam Bird, of Chicago, who was easily disposed of, Fitzsimmons merely using him to give an exhibition of clever ducking and sparring. Before the third round was over Bird was dizzy, fell against the ropes and was helped to his corner by Fitzsimmons.

Phil Mayo, of Cleveland, posed as the next candidate. Mayo this evening was imbued with the idea that he was going to "do" Bob, but to-night he knows better. The knowledge came to him slowly with returning consciousness some time after the close of the second round of what was intended to be a four-round contest. Mayo had been training two weeks, and appeared in excellent condition for a good battle.

First round—At the call of time Mayo began with energy, planting several good blows on Fitz's chest and a hot one on the neck. The crowd cheered wildly, evidently causing Mayo to lose his head, for Fitzsimmons deftly placed a corker on Mayo's head.

Second round—Mayo was on the aggressive, and landed hard on Fitz's stomach, evidently angering the lanky man. Fitzsimmons then feinted with his left and followed it up like lightning with his right, catching Mayo with frightful force on the chin. Mayo fell like a dead man, his head striking the boards with a crash, and he lay senseless until counted out.

Then Fitzsimmons assisted the seconds to bring him around, which was done after ten miutes' hard work. Ordinary eight-ounce "pillows" were used in both contests.

LACROSSE

The Victoria Lacrosse club has elected standing committees:

Finance—President, W. H. Ellis; Vice-President, T. J. Jones, and Second Vice-President, W. J. Smith.

Advertising—Messrs. Burnes, Mackenzie and Drury.

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Supply—Messrs. Eckart, Burnes and Cullin (W. H.).

Reception—The officers of the club.

PERSONAL.

Visitors and Passengers to and From the City and Province.

T. Gibbs, of Enderby, is at the Oriental.

W. R. McKeown, of Tacoma, is in the city.

Mrs. George Lent leaves for Tacoma this evening.

Dr. Sproule returned from the Sound yesterday.

J. H. Falconer is back from a trip to the mainland.

N. P. Snowden is back from a visit to Vancouver.

F. G. Richards returned from Vancouver last evening.

A. B. Gray returned last evening from the mainland.

D. Oppenheimer and J. Wulffsohn, Vancouver, are in the city.

A. F. Gault, the Montreal dry goods man, is at the Driard.

Mrs. J. Dunsmuir returned on the Walla Walla from California.

Captain George Roberts came up on the North Pacific yesterday.

Mrs. R. Broderick returned last evening from a trip to San Francisco.

Rev. Father McCaulay arrived from San Francisco on the Walla Walla.

E. V. Bodwell and G. A. Kirk returned from a trip to Vancouver last evening.

J. H. Coustens, of Port Townsend, was a passenger on the North Pacific yesterday.

Alexander Ewen, D. J. Munn and J. Hendry came over on the Islander yesterday.

Supt. H. Abbott, of the C.P.R., is down from Vancouver, and is a guest at the Driard.

Hugh Grant left the Jubilee Hospital today. He has recovered entirely from his late illness.

J. H. Sutthoff, a San Francisco comcial man, is in the city and is a guest at the Victoria.

First assistant engineer Walford, of the City of Kingston, came up on the North Pacific last evening.

W. H. Goodwin, of Vancouver, is in the city. He was at Nanaimo with the lacrosse minstrels, and came to Victoria on yesterday's train.

John Rosenfeld, of San Francisco, one of the largest coal operators there, is a guest at the Driard. He has been up to the northern points on the island.

OCEAN VESSELS ARRIVE.

One of Them, the John Ena is a Four-Masted Ship of 2500 Tons.

Three deep water vessels have reached Victoria together. The ship John Ena and bark Mary Low came in last evening and are in the Roads, and the bark Blairhoyle is off the Race and will be in the Roads this afternoon. The John Ena is the largest ship that has ever been to Victoria. She came here from San Francisco in ballast and will load at Cowichan mills for Australia. She is of 2568 tons register and will take 2,000,000 feet of lumber. She is a four-masted ship and is a new vessel. She had a long voyage from Glasgow to San Francisco, but made a good run to Victoria. She is commanded by Capt. C. Schnauer. The bark Mary Low, Capt. Robertson, is 172 days out from Liverpool with a general cargo consigned to R. P. Rithet and Co. Her voyage was uneventful. She was detained largely by long calms. She also had some bad weather. When she discharges she will go to Hastings for a cargo of lumber for the west coast of South America.

The Blairhoyle, Capt. Gray, is in ballast from San Francisco to load lumber.

WHARF AND WAVE.

Jottings of Interest to Marine Men Concisely Compiled

Collier Romulus passed up to Nanaimo to-day.

Steamer Princess Louise leaves for the north to-night.

The steamer North Pacific made a special trip yesterday to make up for the one missed last week.

Walter F. Oakes, manager of the Puget Sound and Alaska division of the Northern Pacific, denies that the city of Seattle will go on the Alaska route this year.

The steamer Alexander, commanded by the McLeans, which left San Francisco some time ago with 60 men and a lot of guns aboard has turned up at Honolulu. She cleared for a sealing cruise and it was thought at first she was going to raid the rookeries. Now it seems impossible to imagine what she is going to do.

BENCHERS ELECTED.

To-day at noon the ballots for the election of Benchers of Law Society were opened in the presenc of Messrs. Pooley, Eberts and Fell, scrutineers. The following will be the Benchers for the ensuing year: Hon. Theodore Davie, Q.C., (ex officio), Hon. C. E. Pooley, Q.C., Hon. A. N. Richards, Q.C., L.G. McPhillips, Q.C., D. M. Eberts, Q.C., J. Stuart Yates, Esq., E. A. Jenns, Esq., Chas. Wilson, Esq.

REPRESENTATION ON BOARD.

The Jubilee Hospital directors had a conference with Mayor Beaven on Saturday when the question of the city having representation on the hospital board was discussed. The opinion expressed was that the council should be authorized to appoint three directors, who, with the Mayor, should represent the city.

BIG SALE.

The sale of seats for Nye and Burbank opened this morning at Jamieson's, and already the indications are that the capacity of the theatre will be taxed to its utmost on Friday evening.

THE INJUNCTION.

The injunction proceedings by Hon. Amor De Cosmos against the telephone company were adjourned to-day owing to Mr. Justice Crease's attendance in the divisional court.

SHROUDED IN MYSTERY.

The cause of the death of the Chinese in the employ of Mr. Worlock continues shrouded in mystery. The inquest was held this afternoon in the City Hall, but no evidence calculated to solve the affair had been produced at the time o going to press. Mr Worlock told the story of the discovery of the bodies. Dr. Duncan gave evidence as to the state of the bodies when the door of the room had been forced by him. Dr. Jones stated that the post mortem could not positively attribute death to any cause. The Chinamen appeared healthy. Government Analyst Carmichael stated that the intestines and two phials found on one of the bodies had been given him for chemical analysis. He had begun an analysis on the intestines of one of the bodies, but with no result so far. It would be Wednesday week before he would be able to furnish a statement.

—A fire started in a Chinese shack on Cormorant street on Sunday night at 6 o'clock, but was extinguished by the Chinamen. The fire brigade was not called. Damage next to nothing.

PASSENGERS.

Per steamer North Pacific from the Sound, Sunday, March 26—Chas Moy, E Price, H M Howard, W R McKeown, Miss McQuade, Chas Saimon, C H Wolferd, C L Watson, J H Constins, Dr Sproule, Joe Myer, C Lorerus, Mrs Watson, F W Lynch, M Perl, Jno Smith, Geo Roberts, C E Peabody.

Per steamer Islander from Vancouver—J Phelps, Mrs Workman, J Gould, Mrs Horn, W G Workman, J Johnston, G Millett, L T Debeis, J Driver and Wife, N P Snowdon, F G Richards, Jr, G W Hill, B Moore, A B Gray, J B Hobson, C Haughton, G H Davey, L Hayden, W H Dale, H H Heaps, C B McNeil, H F Clinton, D Oppenheimer, J Hendry, J Evans, G W Bigger, J Wulffsohn, G W DeBeck, G J Wonder, A F Gault, D Morice, D Bell, D Burns, Master Gault, H Abbott, F V Austin, R E Gosnell, Alex Ewen, Thos Foster, D J Munn, H H Sleigh, P R Carsons, Mrs Gould, E Hudds, Jno C Renfrew, A Bensen, G A Kirke, E V Bodwell.

CONSIGNEES.

Per steamer North Pacific from Puget Sound, Sunday, March 26—Albion Iron W, Turner, B and Co, Singer Mfg Co, Hudson Bay Co, Turner, B and Co, M Wolfe, McMillan and H, S Leiser, Jay and Co, Weiler Bros, M W Waitt and Co, Weiler Bros, T Dunn and Co, P McQuade and Son, D Menzell, Gilmore and McC, R G Prior and Co, Fell and Co, Smith, L and L, Canada Paint Co, J M McGregor, W C Holt, J Braden and Sons, Quintard and P.

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GEORGE W. COOK.
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JAS. E. McMILLAN,
Victoria, March 20, 18-3. Sheriff.
mar27-3t

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And notice is hereby also given that after such 30th day of April next I shall proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which I shall then have notice.

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